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TO : DIRECTOR, FBI (100-439048)
 FROM : SAC, CHICAGO (100-40903)
 SUBJECT: COMINFIL
 STUDENTS FOR A DEMOCRATIC SOCIETY
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Re Chicago teletype dated 5/11/66.

Enclosed herewith are seventeen copies of a LHM containing information relative to a meeting of the Chicago Peace Council, which was held in Chicago on 5/10/66, wherein it was stated that a mock trial and a citizens arrest of the President of the United States be carried out as a plan of action on 5/17/66, while President JOHNSON is in Chicago, Illinois, was rejected by the Chicago Peace

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 1 - 105-138315 (VIDEM)
 1 - 62-107350 (WOMEN FOR PEACE)
 1 - 61-1538 (WOMEN'S INTERNATIONAL LEAGUE FOR PEACE AND FREEDOM)
 1 - 100-438794 (SOUTHERN CHRISTIAN LEADERSHIP CONFERENCE)
 1 - 100-440885 (CONGRESS OF RACIAL EQUALITY)
 1 - 100-11392 (AMERICAN FRIENDS SERVICE COMMITTEE)
 1 - 100-441164 (W.E.B. DU BOIS CLUBS OF AMERICA)
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 1 - 100-41635
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(CHICAGO PEACE COUNCIL)
 (VIDEM)
 (WOMEN FOR PEACE)

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(WOMEN'S INTERNATIONAL LEAGUE
FOR PEACE AND FREEDOM)

(SOUTHERN CHRISTIAN LEADERSHIP
CONFERENCE)

(SOUTH SIDE CHICAGO MEN'S CLUB)

(SHOE MAKERS UNION)

(CORE)

(TEACHERS FOR INTEGRATED SCHOOLS)

(CHICAGO COUNCIL OF COMMUNITY
ORGANIZATIONS)

Sources utilized in this LHM are as follows:

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This LHM is classified "confidential" because it contains information received from [REDACTED] and [REDACTED] source, who are confidential informants of continuing value, the exposure of which would compromise future effectiveness thereof and have an adverse effect on the security of this country.

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Chicago will continue to closely follow developments in regard to this activity and keep the Bureau currently advised.

Chicago files contain insufficient information to characterize organizations mentioned in the LHM not subversively characterized.



UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION
Chicago, Illinois

May 14, 1966

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COMMUNIST INFILTRATION OF STUDENTS
FOR A DEMOCRATIC SOCIETY
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A source advised on May 11, 1966, that a meeting of the Chicago Peace Council was held on May 10, 1966, at Roosevelt University, Chicago, Illinois, at which the following organizations were represented:

Women for Peace (WFP)

Women's International League for
Peace and Freedom (WILPF)

South Side Chicago Men's Club

Shoe Workers Union

Southern Christian Leadership
Conference (SCLC)

Congress of Racial Equality (CORE)

Teachers for Integrated Schools

American Friends Service Committee
(AFSC)

Chicago Council of Community
Organizations (CCCO)

W. E. B. Du Bois Clubs of Chicago
(DCA)

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**Students for a Democratic Society
(SDS)**

A [redacted] source advised that approximately thirty individuals were present at this meeting of which ten of these individuals were representatives of the SDS. Among some of the individuals present were:

Mark Skinner, representing AFSC

Jack Spiegel, representing the Shoe Workers Union

Steve Baum, representing SDS

Earl Silbar, representing SDS

Sylvia Fisher

Eva Friedlander

Ben Friedlander

Theresa Ehrlich

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Mark Skinner

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A [redacted] source advised on November 23, 1955, that Mark Skinner, a graduate of the University of Chicago, was a member of a Communist Party (CP) club in Chicago in 1946-1947, and possibly 1948. Source stated he did not know whether Skinner had any connections with the CP subsequent to 1948.

Jack Spiegel

A [redacted] source advised on August 17, 1960, that Jack Spiegel was a member of the SDS, Chicago Chapter, Johnson City, CP of Illinois, during the latter part of 1955, at which time

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he dropped out of the CP because he had
a non-communist affidavit with the
Federal Labor Relations Board.

A [redacted] source advised on June 17, 1964,
that Jack Spiegel is possibly a member of
the CP since he is sometimes referred to in
such a manner which would indicate he continues
to hold CP membership.

Steve Baum

MEMBER OF SUBJECT ORGANIZATION

A [redacted] source advised on May 28, 1965, that
Steve Baum was arrested by the Chicago Police
Department for participating in a demonstration
against the House Committee on Un-American
Activities (HCUA) in Chicago, Illinois, on May
27, 1965. This demonstration was sponsored by
the Chicago Committee to Defend the Bill of
Rights (CCDBR).

A [redacted] source advised during June, 1965,
that Baum was one of the two organizers of the
Chicago Committee to End the War in Viet Nam.

The "New Left Notes", weekly SDS publication,
Volume 1, Number 13, April 15, 1966, issue,
lists Steve Baum, Roosevelt University, Chicago,
Illinois, as being a registered National Council
delegate to the SDS National Council meeting
held August 10, 1965, at Antioch College, Yellow
Springs, Ohio.

Earl V. Silbar

A [redacted] source advised during May, 1965, that
Earl V. Silbar was arrested on May 27, 1965, by
the Chicago Police Department, Chicago, Illinois,
for participating in a demonstration against the
HCUA hearing, which was being held on May 27,
1965. This demonstration was sponsored by the
CCDBR.

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MEMBER OF SUBJECT ORGANIZATION

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Sylvia Fisher

A [redacted] source advised on April 29, 1965, that the CP in the recent past discussed the feasibility of contacting Sylvia Fisher and her husband, Charles Fisher, but decided that the CP has no influence over the Fishers and that it would be worthless to try to work with the Fishers.

Eva Friedlander

A [redacted] source advised on April 19, 1966, that Eva Friedlander is a current member of the Hyde Park Club, CP of Illinois.

Ben Friedlander

A [redacted] source advised on April 19, 1966, that Ben Friedlander is a current member of the Hyde Park Club, CP of Illinois.

Theresa Ehrlich

A [redacted] source advised on April 15, 1959, that at a meeting of the 28th Ward Club, CP of Illinois, held in Chicago on April 7, 1959, a proposal was unanimously passed that Theresa Ehrlich be expelled from this CP club. (2)

A characterization of the CCDBR appears in the appendix pages of this communication.

A [redacted] source advised on May 11, 1966, that Blaine Wishart attended the meeting of the Chicago Peace Council, which was held on May 10, 1966, at Roosevelt University, Chicago, as a representative of the W. E. B. Du Bois Clubs of Chicago.

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Blaine Wishart

A [redacted] source advised on April 18, 1966, that Blaine Wishart was a member of the CP of Illinois as of April, 1966.

A characterization of the DCA appears in the appendix pages of this communication. b7D

The [redacted] source advised that the main discussion at this meeting concerned plans relative to the visit of President Lyndon Baines Johnson to Chicago on May 17, 1966. Tentative plans resolved at this meeting, according to this source, called for a rally at 2:00 p.m. on May 17, 1966, in the vicinity of the Conrad Hilton Hotel, Chicago, where it was believed President Johnson would stay while in Chicago, and a subsequent picket demonstration at McCormick Place, Chicago, the site of President Johnson's appearance. This source advised that it was proposed by an unidentified SDS representative that a mock trial should be held concerning President Johnson which would be followed by an attempt to conduct a citizens arrest of the President. This proposal was rejected by the Chicago peace organizations to the consternation of the SDS representatives, and no further discussion was held in this respect. Source advised that it was possible that the SDS members may act on their own insofar as holding a mock trial and conducting a citizens arrest of the President.

Chicago: [redacted], United States Secret Service, Region I, 113th INTC Group, Evanston; [redacted] United States Attorney's Office, b7c
[redacted] Chicago, and [redacted] Chicago Police Department, Chicago, Illinois, were advised of the details of the above meeting on May 11, 1966.

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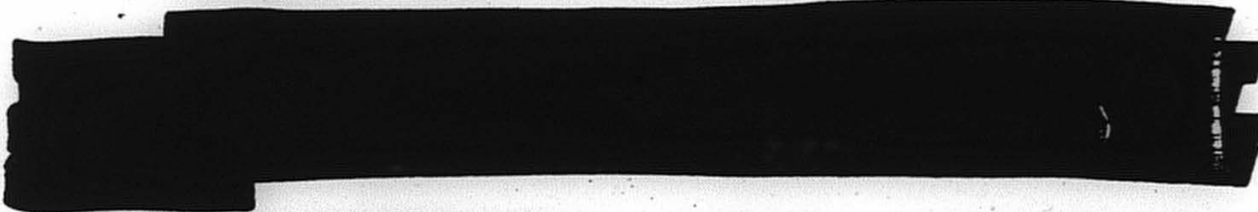
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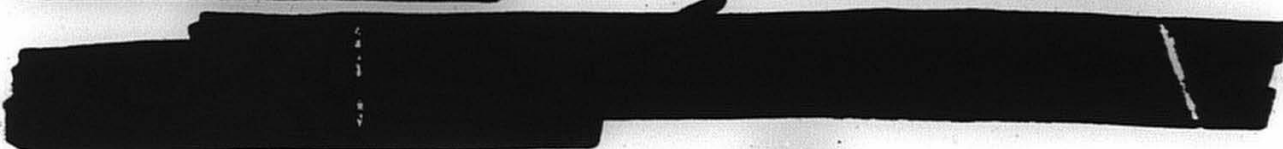
APPENDIX

CHICAGO COMMITTEE TO DEFEND
THE BILL OF RIGHTS

The Chicago Committee to Defend the Bill of Rights (CCDBR) maintains headquarters in Suite 424, 431 South Dearborn Street, Chicago, Illinois.

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A  source advised on May 5, 1965, that the original stated purposes for the CCDBR continue to be adhered to with CRILEY continuing as the motivating force behind the Committee. The Board of Directors, however, now includes many individuals in the religious, educational and labor fields who are not known as CP members.

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APPENDIX

W.E.B. DU BOIS CLUBS OF AMERICA (DCA)

A source has advised that on October 26-27, 1963, a conference of members of the Communist Party (CP), including national functionaries, met in Chicago, Illinois, for the purpose of setting in motion forces for the establishment of a new national Marxist-oriented youth organization which would hunt for the most peaceful transition to socialism. The delegates to this meeting were cautioned against the germ of anti-Soviet and anti-CP ideologies. These delegates were also told that it would be reasonable to assume that the young socialists attracted into this new organization would eventually pass into the CP itself.

A second conference of over 20 persons met in Chicago on December 28-29, 1963, for the purpose of initiating a "call" to the new youth organization and planning for a founding convention to be held in June, 1964.

A second source has advised that the founding convention for the new youth organization was held from June 19-21, 1964, at 150 Golden Gate Avenue, San Francisco, California, at which time the name W.E.B. DuBois Clubs of America (DCA) was adopted. Approximately 500 delegates from throughout the United States attended this convention. The aims of this organization, as set forth in the preamble to the constitution, are, "It is our belief that this nation can best solve its problems in an atmosphere of peaceful coexistence, complete disarmament and true freedom for all peoples of the world, and that these solutions will be reached mainly through the united efforts of all democratic elements in our country, composed essentially of the working people allied in the unity of Negroes and other minorities with whites. We further fully recognize that the greatest threat to American democracy comes from the racist and right wing forces in coalition with the most reactionary sections of the economic power structure, using the tool of anti-Communism to divide and destroy the unified struggle of the working people. As young people in the forces struggling for democracy, we shall actively strive to defeat these reactionary and neo-fascist elements and to achieve complete freedom and democracy for all Americans, thus enabling each individual to freely choose and build the society he would wish to live in. Through these struggles we feel the American people will realize the viability of the socialist alternative."

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The constitution further states that this new organization shall be a membership organization open to individuals, or if five or more people so desire, a chapter can be formed which shall in turn be guided by the policies and principles of the parent organization.

As of October, 1965, the headquarters of the DCA was located at 954 McAllister Street, San Francisco, California.

Over the Labor Day weekend, 1965, the DCA held a conference in Chicago, Illinois. According to a third source, a new slate of national officers was elected at this conference, which included Chairman HUGH STERLING FOWLER, II (who, according to the third source, attended a CP cadre encampment held at Camp Midvale, New Jersey, in June, 1965, and following his election as Chairman of the DCA, attended another national CP cadre youth conference held on September 9-12, 1965, on a farm located in Northern Indiana, according to a fourth source); Director of Publicity CARL ELLENGER BLOICE (who was elected to the San Francisco County Committee CP in April, 1964, according to a fifth source); Educational Director MATTHEW "DYNAMITE" HALLINAN (who in June, 1964, was stated to be the Youth Representative on the Northern California CP District Board, according to a sixth source); Organizational Secretary TERENCE "KAYO" HALLINAN (who, according to a seventh source, met in June, 1965, with the District Staff of the Illinois CP to discuss the proposed DCA Midwest Summer Project), and Treasurer SUSAN PHYLLIS BORENSTEIN (who, according to an eighth source, has attended meetings of the Youth Club of the CP of Illinois during 1965 in connection with the DCA Summer Project).

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W.E.B. DU BOIS CLUBS
OF CHICAGO (DCC)

On May 3, 1965, a source advised that on June 30, 1964, a group of young people who attended the founding convention of the W.E.B. DuBois Clubs of America (DCA), met in Chicago and adopted a statement of purpose and constitution forming the DCC as an affiliate of the national DCA.

This source further advised that at a meeting of the Chicago Area of the Midwest Region of the DCA held April 3, 1965, the boundary of the Chicago Area was established to include all of Illinois north of Springfield, Illinois, and all of Indiana. At this meeting, TED PEARSON, Chairman of the Youth Club of the Communist Party of Illinois, was elected Area Coordinator.

A second source advised on November 26, 1965, that as of November, 1965, TED PEARSON continues to be the Chicago Area Coordinator of the DCA and the official headquarters is located at the PEARSON apartment, 1808 North Cleveland Avenue, Chicago, Illinois.

The second source advised that there is currently only one club operating in the Chicago Area and that is on the west side. This club operates a Freedom Center at 2829 West Lake Street, which is open seven days a week to the teenagers on the west side.

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Chicago, Illinois

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Title

**COMMUNIST INFILTRATION
OF STUDENTS FOR A DEMOCRATIC
SOCIETY**

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Reference

**Memorandum dated and captioned
as above.**

**All sources (except any listed below) whose
identities are concealed in referenced communication have
furnished reliable information in the past.**

**The sixth source is an agency in the Chicago area
which collects security type information.**

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DIVISION. VIDEM, BUFILE ONE ZERO FIVE DASH ONE THREE EIGHT ONE FIVE.
COMMUNIST INFILTRATION OF STUDENTS FOR A DEMOCRATIC SOCIETY (SDS)
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REMYTELS MAY THIRTEEN LAST.

CONFIDENTIAL SOURCE AT UNIVERSITY OF CHICAGO ADVISED FOUR PM
THIS DATE APPROXIMATELY TWENTY-FIVE SIT-IN DEMONSTRATORS CONTINUE TO
REMAIN IN ADMINISTRATION BUILDING, UNIVERSITY OF CHICAGO.

SOURCE ADDED DEMONSTRATORS WILL CONTINUE SIT-IN ON SHIFT BASIS IN

ADMINISTRATION BUILDING PERMITTING ENTRANCE TO AND
FROM THE BUILDING. SOURCE ADVISED UPON DISBURSEMENT OF MAIN-BODY SIT
-IN DEMONSTRATORS LATE PM MAY THIRTEEN LAST APPROXIMATELY TWO HUNDRED
DEMONSTRATORS MARCHED TO RESIDENCE OF UNIVERSITY PRESIDENT, GEORGE
W. BEADLE, WHERE A PETITION CONTAINING THEIR PROTEST DEMANDS AGAINST
CANCELLING OF MALE STUDENTS SCHOLASTIC GRADES WERE PLACED UNDER THE DOOR
OF RESIDENCE.

SOURCE FURTHER ADVISED THIS DATE THAT SIT-IN DEMONSTRATORS
WILL HOLD A MEETING ON CAMPUS, UNIVERSITY OF CHICAGO, EIGHT P.M.,
INSTANT DATE, TO DETERMINE WHETHER SIT-IN DEMONSTRATION SHOULD RESUME.
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JACKIE GOLDBERG PREVIOUSLY REPORTED AS ONE OF THE LEADERS OF STUDENT PROTEST CONFIRMED IN INTERVIEWED WITH NEWSPAPERS REPORTERS. SHE WAS DELEGATE TO WOMEN'S PEACE CONFERENCE, MOSCOW, AND MEMBER OF "SLATE" AND UNIVERSITY OF CALIFORNIA STUDENT GROUP, FORERUNNER W.E.B. DU BOIS CLUBS OF AMERICA.

ANOTHER SOURCE ADVISED MAY FOURTEEN, INSTANT, DEMONSTRATIONS SLATED AT ROOSEVELT UNIVERSITY AND THE UNIVERSITY OF ILLINOIS, CHICAGO CIRCLE CAMPUS (UICCC), IN PROTEST OF SELECTIVE SERVICE QUALIFICATION TEST FOLLOWED BY A JOINT RALLY AT CONGRESS PLAZA, GRANT PARK, CHICAGO. RALLY DID NOT MATERIALIZE.

GROUP AT UICCC PICKETED BRIEFLY THEN JOINED STUDENTS AT ROOSEVELT UNIVERSITY ALREADY PICKETING THAT INSTITUTION.

APPROXIMATELY TWENTY FIVE INDIVIDUALS PARTICIPATED CARRYING SIGNS READING "UNJUST TEST," "UNJUST WAR," "BRING HOME TROOPS NOW," AND DISTRIBUTING COPIES OF SDS NATIONAL VIET NAM EXAMINATION. COPY OF VIET NAM EXAMINATION WILL BE FORWARDED TO BUREAU WITH LHM.

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PARTICIPANTS INCLUDED EARL SILBAR AND STEVE BAUM, KNOWN SDS MEMBERS
TESTING ENDED TWELVE THIRTY P.M. NO INCIDENTS REPORTED.. TESTING
PROCEEDED WITHOUT DISRUPTION AND NO INCIDENTS REPORTED.

CHICAGO FOLLOWING THROUGH ESTABLISHED SOURCES AND WILL SUTEL
ANY CHANGE IN CURRENT PLANS. U.S. ATTORNEY, MILITARY, CG PD, AND
SECRET SERVICE ADVISED. LHM FOLLOWS.

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KNOWN SUBVERSIVE INFORMATION REGARDING JACKIE GOLDBERG FOR INCLUSION
IN LHM.

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TO DIRECTOR

FROM CHICAGO (25-45910) (100-42717 SUB A) (100-40903) 2P

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SELECTIVE SERVICE MATTERS, STUDENTS FOR A DEMOCRATIC SOCIETY (SDS),
CHICAGO DIVISION; VIDEM; COMINFIL OF SDS, IS-C.

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[REDACTED] ADVISED TODAY IT IS RUMORED SDS WILL TRY TO TAKE
OVER ELEVATORS OF CIRCLE CAMPUS ADMINISTRATION BUILDING MAY
NINETEEN NEXT. CIRCLE CAMPUS SDS CAN MUSTER ONLY TWENTY DEMON-
STRATORS, BUT OUTSIDERS MOSTLY FROM RECENT UNIV. OF CHICAGO SIT
IN EXPECTED TO ASSIST. UNIV. OF ILL. POLICE NOT GOING TO TOLERATE
SIT IN AS RECENTLY OCCURED AT UNIV. OF CHICAGO. 10 MAY 18 1966

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POLICE TO BE STATIONED ON EACH ELEVATOR AND IF DEMONSTRATORS
NOT GET OFF AFTER REASONABLE DEMAND, THEY WILL BE TAKEN TO
GROUND FLOOR, ARRESTED, AND PLACED IN CHICAGO PD SQUADROL.
COMPLAINTS WILL BE FILED AND IT IS CONTEMPLATED UNIV. ADMINISTRATION
WILL CONSIDER EXPELLING STUDENTS. THESE ARE CURRENT PLANS, ACCORDING

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TO [REDACTED], WHICH COULD BE CHANGED BY UNIV. ADMINISTRATION. B7C
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USA, SECRET SERVICE, MILITARY INTELLIGENCE AGENCIES AND CHICAGO
PD ADVISED. CHICAGO FOLLOWING MATTER CLOSELY AND WILL KEPT
BUREAU ADVISED. LHM FOLLOWS.

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REMYTELS MAY FOURTEEN LAST.

CONFIDENTIAL SOURCE, UNIVERSITY OF CHICAGO, U OF C, ADVISED FOUR
PM INSTANT SIT-IN DEMONSTRATORS, U OF C REQUESTED AND RECEIVED RESIGNATION
JACKIE GOLDBERG AS CHAIRWOMAN OF PROTEST SIT-IN THIS DATE.

SOURCE ADDED APPROXIMATELY FIFTY SIT-IN DEMONSTRATORS CONTINUE
SIT-IN ADMINISTRATION BUILDING, U OF C.

SOURCE FURTHER ADDED SIT-IN CONTINUES ORDERLY WITH NO REPORTED
ARRESTS OR INCIDENTS.

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CHICAGO FOLLOWING MATTER CLOSELY THROUGH ESTABLISHED SOURCES.

USA, CHICAGO PD., LOCAL MILITARY AND SECRET SERVICE ADVISED.

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TO DIRECTOR

FROM CHICAGO (25-45910) (100-42717-SUB A) (100-40903)

SELECTIVE SERVICE MATTERS, STUDENTS FOR A DEMOCRATIC SOCIETY,
CHICAGO DIVISION.

VIDEM

COMMUNIST INFILTRATION OF STUDENTS FOR A DEMOCRATIC SOCIETY (SDS), IS-

REMYTEL MAY ELEVEN, LAST.

RELIABLE SOURCE ADVISED AM THIS DATE APPROXIMATELY FOUR HUNDRED
FIFTY SDS MEMBERS AND STUDENTS FROM UNIVERSITY OF CHICAGO CONTINUE
SIT-IN AT ADMINISTRATION BUILDING, UNIVERSITY OF CHICAGO.

AT APPROXIMATELY EIGHT AM, THIS DATE, STUDENTS DECLINED TO ALLOW
ANY SCHOOL ADMINISTRATORS OR TEACHERS IN ADMINISTRATION BUILDING
WHERE DEMONSTRATION BEING CONDUCTED. CAMPUS AND LOCAL POLICE
REQUESTED TO HONOR DEMONSTRATOR'S DEMANDS AND REMAIN OUTSIDE BY
SCHOOL ADMINISTRATORS. REC-18 / 100-1139242-1270

UNIVERSITY TEACHERS HAVING CLASSES IN THAT BUILDING REQUESTED TO
CALL UNIVERSITY BEFORE COMING TO SCHOOL TO SEE IF CLASS BEING HELD.

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ONLY INDIVIDUALS ALLOWED TO ENTER ADMINISTRATION BUILDING HAVE BEEN TELEPHONE OPERATORS AND DEMONSTRATORS.

SOURCE ADVISED NO ACTIVITY OUTSIDE OF BUILDING AND NOTHING CAN BE OBSERVED ON INSIDE WITH EXCEPTION OF FEW DEMONSTRATORS SITTING NEAR THE DOOR.

DEMONSTRATION TO CONTINUE AT LEAST UNTIL FIVE PM, THIS DATE, AT WHICH TIME VOTE WILL BE TAKEN BY PARTICIPANTS TO CONTINUE OR TERMINATE DEMONSTRATION.

CHICAGO WILL CONTINUE TO FOLLOW THIS MATTER CLOSELY. ALL INTERESTED AGENCIES ADVISED. LHM FOLLOWS.

CORR PLS GXXX PG ONE LN 13 WD 2 SHD BE ADMINISTRATORS

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FBI CHICAGO

1210AM CDST URGENT 5/14/66 JJC

TO DIRECTOR

FROM CHICAGO (25-43910)

FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION
U. S. DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE
COMMUNICATIONS SECTION

MAY 14 1966

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SELECTIVE SERVICE MATTERS, STUDENTS FOR A DEMOCRATIC SOCIETY
CHICAGO DIVISION.

VIDEM (105-138315)

COMMUNIST INFILTRATION OF STUDENTS FOR A DEMOCRATIC SOCIETY (SDS)
IS -C. (100-439048)

REMYTEL LAST DATE.

CONFIDENTIAL SOURCE UNIVERSITY OF CHICAGO ADVISED TEN THIRTY
PM INSTANT MAIN BODY SIT-IN DEMONSTRATORS AT UNIVERSITY HAVE
DISPERSED AND ONLY APPROXIMATELY THIRTY DEMONSTRATORS REMAIN IN
ADMINISTRATION BUILDING. SOURCE ADDED THAT NORMAL SERVICES OF
ADMINISTRATION BUILDING HAVE BEEN RESUMED.

SOURCE FURTHER ADVISED THAT BEFORE DISPERSING DEMONSTRATORS
LEFT A PETITION CONTAINING THEIR PROTEST DEMANDS AGAINST
RANKING OF MALE STUDENTS SCHOLASTIC GRADES IN OFFICE OF UNIVER-
SITY OF CHICAGO PRESIDENT. REC 44

SOURCE ADDED THAT IT WAS REPORTED THAT IF DEMANDS WERE
NOT MET BY SCHOOL OFFICIALS SIT-IN DEMONSTRATIONS WOULD RESUME
MAY EIGHTEEN NEXT.

END PAGE ONE

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CHICAGO FOLLOWING MATTER CLOSELY THROUGH ESTABLISHED SOURCES .
USA , CHICAGO PD , MILITARY AND SECRET SERVICE ADVISED .

LHM FOLLOWS .

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SPECIAL INVESTIGATIVE DIVISION
May 1 1966

Attached teletype from Chicago Office reports demonstrations are continuing at the University of Chicago in protest against the University asking its facilities available for the Selective Service Qualification Test. Dick Gregory, Negro comedian, appeared before the demonstrators late during the evening of May 12, 1966, and urged the participants to continue. Chicago is on top of this situation through established sources.

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FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION
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CHICAGO DIVISON.

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COMMUNIST INFILTRATION OF STUDENTS FOR A DEMOCRATIC SOCIETY (SDS)
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MAY 13 1966

REMYTEL DATED MAY TWELVE LAST.

CONFIDENTIAL SOURCE, UNIVERSITY OF CHICAGO, ADVISED FIVE P.M.
TODAY THAT SIT-IN DEMONSTRATION CONTINUING AT ADMINISTRATION BUILDING,
UNIVERSITY OF CHICAGO WITH APPROXIMATELY THREE HUNDRED FIFTY STUDENTS
PARTICIPATING. SOURCE ADDED ALL NORMAL SERVICES WITHIN BUILDING
REMAIN DISRUPTED WITH ONLY SWITCHBOARD FUNCTIONING.

DI. GREGORY, COMEDIAN, APPEARED BEFORE DEMONSTRATORS LATE,
P.M., MAY TWELVE LAST, AT WHICH TIME HE URGED PARTICIPANTS TO CONTINUE
DEMONSTRATION.

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ONLY REPORTED INCIDENT, UNIDENTIFIED FEMALE STRUCK ON HEAD WITH WALKIE-TALKIE DROPPED FROM WINDOW OF ADMINISTRATION BUILDING WHEN ATTEMPTING TO ENTER BUILDING MORNING THIS DATE.

VICTIM REQUIRED MEDICAL ATTENTION, ASSAILANT UNKNOWN AND NO ARREST MADE.

ACCORDING TO SOURCE, DEMONSTRATORS DEBATING CONTINUANCE OR DISCONTINUANCE OF DEMONSTRATION SINCE TEN A.M. THIS DATE. DEMONSTRATORS REPORTEDLY MAKING TELEPHONE CONTACT WITH ASSOCIATES ON OTHER CAMPUSES FOR SUPPORT. SOURCE UNABLE TO COMMENT ON RESULTS OF THESE CONTACTS. IF SUPPORT OBTAINED, DEMONSTRATORS PLAN TO ENLARGE PROTEST TO INCLUDE U.S. INTERVENTION IN VIET NAM.

CHICAGO FOLLOWING MATTER CLOSELY THROUGH ESTABLISHED SOURCES.

USA, CHICAGO PD, MILITARY AND SECRET SERVICE ADVISED.

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CC MR. SULLIVAN

DEPT. OF JUSTICE

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SPECIAL INVL. COACTIVE DIVISION

Attached teletype states that group known as Students for a Democratic Society, Chicago Division are demonstrating and conducting sit-in at the Administration Building, University of Chicago, 300 in group. All elevators, stairs and hallways blocked. Sit-in to continue until morning of May 12, 1966, at which time decision will be made to continue. Considerable spot coverage being afforded by press. No incidents have developed. Demonstration is in protest of University scholastic ranking of male students eligible for draft.

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FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION
U. S. DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE
COMMUNICATIONS SECTION

FBI WASH DC

MAY 11 1966

TELETYPE

FBI CHICAGO

752 PM CDST URGENT 5-11-66 HRF

TO DIRECTOR

FROM CHICAGO (25-45910) (100-42717) SUB A) (100-40903)

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SELECTIVE SERVICE MATTERS, STUDENTS FOR A DEMOCRATIC SOCIETY CHICAGO
DIVISION; VIDEN; COMINFIL OF STUDENTS FOR A DEMOCRATIC SOCIETY (SDS).

REMYTEL MAY TEN LAST.

RELIABLE SOURCE ADVISED THIS DATE APPROXIMATELY THREE HUNDRED
INDIVIDUALS FROM SDS AND STUDENT GROUPS PRESENTLY CONDUCTING SIT
IN DEMONSTRATION ADMINISTRATION BUILDING, UNIV. OF CHICAGO, PROTESTING
UNIVERSITY SCHOLASTIC RANKING OF MALE STUDENTS ELIGIBLE FOR DRAFT.
ALL ELEVATORS, STAIRWAYS AND HALLWAYS ON FIRST FLOOR OF BUILDING
ARE BLOCKED. PRESENT PLANS CALL FOR SIT IN TO CONTINUE UNTIL AM MAY
TWELVE NEXT, AT WHICH TIME DECISION WILL BE MADE WHETHER TO CONTINUE.
SOURCE ADDED UNIVERSITY OFFICIALS HAVE MADE NO EFFORT TO INTERFERE
WITH DEMONSTRATORS AND NO INCIDENTS HAVE OCCURRED. CONSIDERABLE ON THE
SPOT COVERAGE BEING AFFORDED BY PRESS.

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10 MAY 19 1966
MR. DELOACH FOR THE DIRECTOR

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ESTABLISHED SOURCE UNIV. OF CHICAGO ADVISED THIS DATE BIT IN
BEGAN ~~TO~~ THIRTY PM, INSTANT, AND NUMBER PARTICIPATING INCREASING
HOURLY. SOURCE ADVISED UNIV. OF CHICAGO ADMINISTRATION
WILL MAINTAIN "HANDS OFF" POLICY RE INDIVIDUALS PARTICIPATING IN
DEMONSTRATION. DEMONSTRATION ORDERLY.

CHICAGO CONTINUING TO FOLLOW MATTER CLOSELY. ^{UNITED STATES HISTORY,} USA, SECRET SERVICE
LOCAL MILITARY AUTHORITIES AND CHICAGO PD ADVISED. LHM FOLLOWS.

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FBI WASH DC

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CC MR. SULLIVAN, Mr. H. L. & Mr. C. L. Sullivan, Supr.

May 17, 1966

SPECIAL INVESTIGATIVE DIVISION

This involves a sit-in demonstration that students have been conducting in the administrative offices of the University of Chicago for the past several days. Their presence caused the school to close its offices for a time. Students are protesting the Selective Service qualification tests being afforded draftees and also protesting the school making available scholastic records to draft boards.

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TO DIRECTOR

FROM CHICAGO (25-45910) (100-42717-SUBA) (100-40903) IP

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CHICAGO DIVISION

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COMMUNIST INFILTRATION OF STUDENTS FOR A DEMOCRATIC SOCIETY (SDS),
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REMYTEL MAY FIFTEEN LAST

CONFIDENTIAL SOURCE, UNIVERSITY OF CHICAGO, ADVISED EARLY AM
THIS DATE STUDENTS AND PROTESTERS ENDED SIT-IN AT ADMINISTRATION
BUILDING, UNIVERSITY OF CHICAGO, ONE FIFTY AM THIS DATE FOLLOWING
VOTE BY THREE HUNDRED FIFTY BY THOSE WHO HAD PARTICIPATED. PROTESTERS
SPOKESMAN DECLINED EXPLANATION FOR WITHDRAWAL BUT CALLED FOR DISCUSSION
AMONG FACULTY AND STUDENTS ON UNIVERSITIES POLICY OF GIVING
INFORMATION TO SELECTIVE SERVICE. PROTESTERS LEFT ADMINISTRATION
BUILDING WITHOUT INCIDENT.

USA, SECRET SERVICE, MILITARY INTELLIGENCE AGENCIES AND CHICAGO
PD. ADVISED. LHM FOLLOWS.

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CC MR. SULLIVAN

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EX-108

Honorable Abraham A. Ribicoff
United States Senate
Washington, D. C. 20510

My dear Senator:

Special Agent [REDACTED] as advised me of his conversation with a representative of your office Tuesday regarding your request for information prompted by a communication dated April 6, 1966, from your constituent, [REDACTED]

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With regard to the FBI's inquiry at Wesleyan University relating to the Students for a Democratic Society, I sent a letter to one of your constituents, [REDACTED]

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[REDACTED] on April 28, 1966, which set forth this Bureau's position. In it I pointed out that the Attorney General stated publicly in 1965 he had instructed the FBI to determine the extent of communist infiltration into the Students for a Democratic Society which was establishing chapters throughout the United States. This was the purpose of our contact with an official of Wesleyan University, and at no time was any attempt made to intimidate any student or official of the University. Also, I mentioned that under laws enacted by Congress, Presidential Directives and the instructions of the Attorney General, the FBI is responsible for investigating subversive activities of individuals and organizations. These

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1 - New Haven (100-18614) Reurairtel 5-9-66.

1 - Mr. DeLoach - Enclosure

1 - Mr. Wick - Enclosure

1 - Mr. Sullivan - Enclosure

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Honorable Abraham A. Ribicoff

Investigations are conducted in a straightforward manner without apology to anyone and are conducted objectively, truthfully and impartially to determine the facts which are then furnished to the Department of Justice for its determination as to whether prosecution or further action is warranted. It was made clear that an FBI investigation of certain members of an organization is not a judgment but a gathering of facts to be studied by duly constituted legal authorities. In performing its duties, the FBI has not and will not exceed its authority; neither will it shirk its responsibilities.

I trust the above information will be of assistance to your constituent.

Sincerely yours,

J. Edgar Hoover

NOTE: A copy of the letter to [redacted] was sent to Senator Ribicoff by letter dated 5-5-66; however, his office advised Congressional Liaison Agent [redacted] on 5-17-66 that a letter setting forth the FBI's position along the lines as that included in the [redacted] letter was desired rather than making copies of the [redacted] letter to send to constituent. Relations with Senator Ribicoff have been cordial. SAC New Haven advised by airtel of 5-9-66 [redacted] of New Milford, Connecticut, had criticized the New Haven Office, referred to Gestapo tactics, and was obviously hostile to the FBI. New Haven files contain no other pertinent information concerning him nor do Bufiles. b7c

April 6, 1966

Senator Abraham Ribicoff
Senate Office Building
Washington, D. C.

Dear Senator Ribicoff:

I wish to render a strong protest against efforts of the FBI to intimidate college students from joining orginazitions opposed to the Johnson-McNamara-Rusk illegal and immoral war in VietNam.

According to the press, the FBI attempted to get lists of names of students opposing the war from Wesleyan University and Yale University last month. These FBI agents were from the New Haven office. At first the Bureau Chief at New Haven denied trying to get the names, but when proof was presented, admitted it. The whole administration lies to us.

The FBI stated that they pay daily visits to campuses across the country, investigating 175 types of violations. Since I have several children who will soon be of college age, I would appreciate receiving a list of these 175 types of violations so I can decide whether to send my children to American universities or send them abroad for their college educations.

Last night a state official who has considerable dealings with the FBI said if I protested, they'd most certainly investigate me. I have nothing to hide, but of course if they question all my friends, neighbors and business associates, it would be a definite embarrssment and haressment.

Under the 4th amment to the United States Constitution my person is inviolate unless a warrent is issued, upon probable cause, under oath or affirmation, so Johnson's Gestapo can present me with a copy of a warrent and investigate me until hell freezes over. Without a warrent Johnson's Gestapo would be guilty of the felony of "conspiring to deny the Constitutional rights of others."

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intimidation of college students exercising their Constitutional Rights.

"The price of liberty is eternal vigilance" - thos. Jefferson

Bring the Boys Home,


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1 - DeLoach
1 - Wick
1 - Sullivan
1 - Baumgardner
1 - [REDACTED]

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Dear [REDACTED]

This will acknowledge receipt of your letter dated May 9, 1966, in response to my previous letter of April 18, 1966. I appreciate the concern which motivated your reply and am gratified to know that you recognize there are many problems existent in the issues involved.

Your interest in having an FBI representative elaborate on FBI policy and investigative techniques has been noted. While it is not possible at this time to designate a representative of this Bureau to discuss these matters with you, your invitation will be borne in mind and given consideration for a possible future appearance.

Sincerely yours,

J. Edgar Hoover

1 - New Haven (Enc. - Copy of relet)

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1 copy is being sent to Senator Abraham Ribicoff by separate communication. Additional yellow prepared to go along with the yellow of the Ribicoff letter.

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Per FOIA Request

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NOTE CONTINUED:

A letter over the Director's signature dated 4/28/66 was directed to the College Body Committee pointing out that our investigation was being conducted under law in a straightforward manner in line with our responsibility to discharge our obligation.

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May 9, 1966

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Mr. J. Edgar Hoover, Director
 Federal Bureau of Investigation
 Department of Justice
 Washington, D.C.

Dear Mr. Hoover:

Thank you for your reply to our letter of April 18 concerning the F.B.I. investigation of the possibility of communist infiltration into the Wesleyan Chapter of the Students for a Democratic Society. We recognize that it is the responsibility of the F.B.I., under law, to investigate the "subversive activities of individuals and organizations." We are sympathetic with the problems of conducting such investigations with justice to all concerned, and recognize the difficulty of arriving at a truly objective and impartial determination of the "facts."

We are gratified to see concern for academic freedom expressed in your letter. We wholeheartedly agree with you that both a critical examination of accepted tradition and the testing of creative thinking are essential to the education of our society's leaders.

However, we would like to point out that "freedom of thought and the spirit of inquiry" are, unfortunately, not guaranteed by statements of good intentions. Neither does the legality of such investigations as you may conduct guarantee that they will not interfere with academic freedom.

We first became concerned about your investigation of S.D.S. at Wesleyan precisely when some of our students did, in fact, feel "intimidated" by the F.B.I. request for a list of S.D.S. members. Some expressed considerable concern regarding the uses to which this list might be put. Other students interested in the activities of this organization have shied away from involvement in it. Although there may have been no conscious attempt at intimidation, the student reaction to your investigation made us aware of the threat to academic freedom that may be posed by such investigations should they be allowed to continue unquestioned.

Our misgivings about the possible effects of such investigations were reinforced by the way in which the investigation developed.

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CONFIDENTIAL

May 9, 1966

After the initial request was made, two of your agents met again with the Dean of the College in an unsuccessful attempt to obtain from him a recorded confession that he had misrepresented the events of the previous day. On Thursday, the Wesleyan Argus, telephoned your branch office in New Haven to inquire about the case, only to get as a response: "No comment." A day later a reporter from the Hartford Courant called the same office, which on this occasion denied any knowledge whatsoever of the investigation. Needless to say this led us to wonder whether the investigation was being conducted in a truly "straightforward manner."

These developments have reinforced student apprehension concerning F.B.I. investigations and confirmed our suspicions that such interference poses a problem of grave import not only to the educational process at Wesleyan, but to our society at large, as well. The goals of academic freedom are predicated upon the most basic rights granted members of our society: freedom of speech and of association. It is the threat to these freedoms posed by your investigation which endangers the educational process.

This problem is not resolved by claiming, as you seem to do, that it does not exist. We would certainly hope that all F.B.I. investigatory activities are conducted legally, objectively, and truthfully, and aim only to "gather the facts." But this in no way indicates that they may not also function to restrict debate, inhibit involvement and otherwise adversely affect the educational process.

Further, this problem is not resolved by an attempt to intimidate us. It is merely wishful thinking to assume, as you do, that our legitimate concern is "so irresponsible as to cast serious doubt on the quality of academic reasoning or the motivation behind it." Of course it is simpler to rule criticism invalid than to consider it seriously, but we would submit that this is hardly in the public interest. Certainly your unwillingness to entertain criticism adds to our misgivings about the effects that F.B.I. investigations may have on the educational process. If we, the duly elected representatives of this college body, are not to be allowed to question the effects of F.B.I. investigations on education at Wesleyan, then who is to be allowed to raise such questions?

We do not wish to maintain that F.B.I. investigations must necessarily interfere with academic freedom; yet it must be recognized that, quite apart from questions of legality or intention, such investigations may pose a serious threat "to the freedom of thought and spirit of inquiry." Insofar as they do, they jeopardize the democratic process—that very process which these investigations intend to protect.

We recognize that this problem is a difficult one and does not admit of an easy solution. We hope that you will give it serious consideration. Further, to support freedom of thought and action on this campus we would like to invite you, or a member of your

Mr. Hoover

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May 9, 1966

staff, to visit Wesleyan in the near future and discuss F.B.I. policy and investigative techniques. We would hope that such a meeting would answer questions that presently concern many of our students.

Thank you for your consideration. We look forward to your prompt reply.

Respectfully yours,



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May 10, 1966

100-44-1047-1284
REC-29
Honorable Abraham A. Ribicoff
United States Senate
Washington, D. C. 20510

My dear Senator:

In response to your communication of
May 16th, with enclosures, I am enclosing a copy of my
letter today to your constituent, [REDACTED] b7c
The material you forwarded is being returned, and
I appreciate your bringing this correspondence to my
attention.

Sincerely yours,
J. Edgar Hoover

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Enclosures (3)

- 1 - Mr. DeLoach - Enclosures (2)
1 - Mr. Wick - Enclosures (2)
1 - Mr. Sullivan - Enclosures (2)

NOTE: Bufiles reflect cordial relations with Senator Ribicoff.

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May 19, 1966

- 1 - DeLoach
- 1 - Wick
- 1 - Sullivan
- 1 - Baumgardner
- 1 - [REDACTED]

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Dear [REDACTED]

This will acknowledge receipt of your letter dated May 9, 1966, in response to my previous letter of April 18, 1966. I appreciate the concern which motivated your reply and am gratified to know that you recognize there are many problems existent in the issues involved.

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United States Senate

Washington, D. C., May 16, 1966

Respectfully referred to

Hon. J. Edgar Hoover
 Director
 Federal Bureau of Investigation
 Washington, D. C.

I shall appreciate a report on
 this matter.

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ENCLOSURE

CORRESPONDENCE

THE WESLEYAN COLLEGE BODY

WESLEYAN UNIVERSITY
MIDDLETOWN, CONNECTICUT



May 11, 1966

Dear Senator Ribicoff,

The Wesleyan College Body Committee feels that you, as a member of the Congress, may be interested in the enclosed letter, concerning the Federal Bureau of Investigation's attempt to obtain a list of the members in the local chapter of Students for a Democratic Society. As we explained in our original letter to Mr. J. Edgar Hoover, we feel that this investigation is contrary to academic freedom and the right of free association. In his reply, Mr. Hoover denied this, and stated that no attempt at intimidation was made. The enclosed letter is our reply to Mr. Hoover.

We feel that the ramifications of this investigation are the concern not only of the Wesleyan student body but also of every member of our free society.

Thank you for your consideration.

Sincerely yours,

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THE WESLEYAN COLLEGE BODY

WESLEYAN UNIVERSITY

MIDDLETOWN, CONNECTICUT



May 9, 1966

Mr. J. Edgar Hoover, Director
Federal Bureau of Investigation
Department of Justice
Washington, D.C.

Dear Mr. Hoover:

Thank you for your reply to our letter of April 18 concerning the F.B.I. investigation of the possibility of communist infiltration into the Wesleyan Chapter of the Students for a Democratic Society. We recognize that it is the responsibility of the F.B.I., under law, to investigate the "subversive activities of individuals and organizations." We are sympathetic with the problems of conducting such investigations with justice to all concerned, and recognize the difficulty of arriving at a truly objective and impartial determination of the "facts."

We are gratified to see concern for academic freedom expressed in your letter. We wholeheartedly agree with you that both a critical examination of accepted tradition and the testing of creative thinking are essential to the education of our society's leaders.

However, we would like to point out that "freedom of thought and the spirit of inquiry" are, unfortunately, not guaranteed by statements of good intentions. Neither does the legality of such investigations as you may conduct guarantee that they will not interfere with academic freedom.

We first became concerned about your investigation of S.D.S. at Wesleyan precisely when some of our students did, in fact, feel "intimidated" by the F.B.I. request for a list of S.D.S. members. Some expressed considerable concern regarding the uses to which this list might be put. Other students interested in the activities of this organization have shied away from involvement in it. Although there may have been no conscious attempt at intimidation, the student reaction to your investigation made us aware of the threat to academic freedom that may be posed by such investigations should they be allowed to continue unquestioned.

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Our misgivings about the possible effects of such investigations were reinforced by the way in which the investigation developed.

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After the initial request was made, two of your agents met again with the Dean of the College in an unsuccessful attempt to obtain from him a recorded confession that he had misrepresented the events of the previous day. On Thursday, the Wesleyan Argus, telephoned your branch office in New Haven to inquire about the case, only to get as a response: "No comment." A day later a reporter from the Hartford Courant called the same office, which on this occasion denied any knowledge whatsoever of the investigation. Needless to say this led us to wonder whether the investigation was being conducted in a truly "straightforward manner."

These developments have reinforced student apprehension concerning F.B.I. investigations and confirmed our suspicions that such interference poses a problem of grave import not only to the educational process at Wesleyan, but to our society at large, as well. The goals of academic freedom are predicated upon the most basic rights granted members of our society: freedom of speech and of association. It is the threat to these freedoms posed by your investigation which endangers the educational process.

This problem is not resolved by claiming, as you seem to do, that it does not exist. We would certainly hope that all F.B.I. investigatory activities are conducted legally, objectively, and truthfully, and aim only to "gather the facts." But this in no way indicates that they may not also function to restrict debate, inhibit involvement and otherwise adversely affect the educational process.

Further, this problem is not resolved by an attempt to intimidate us. It is merely wishful thinking to assume, as you do, that our legitimate concern is "so irresponsible as to cast serious doubt on the quality of academic reasoning or the motivation behind it." Of course it is simpler to rule criticism invalid than to consider it seriously, but we would submit that this is hardly in the public interest. Certainly your unwillingness to entertain criticism adds to our misgivings about the effects that F.B.I. investigations may have on the educational process. If we, the duly elected representatives of this college body, are not to be allowed to question the effects of F.B.I. investigations on education at Wesleyan, then who is to be allowed to raise such questions?

We do not wish to maintain that F.B.I. investigations must necessarily interfere with academic freedom; yet it must be recognized that, quite apart from questions of legality or intention, such investigations may pose a serious threat "to the freedom of thought and spirit of inquiry." Insofar as they do, they jeopardize the democratic process—that very process which these investigations intend to protect.

We recognize that this problem is a difficult one and does not admit of an easy solution. We hope that you will give it serious consideration. Further, to support freedom of thought and action on this campus we would like to invite you, or a member of your

Mr. Hoover

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staff, to visit Wesleyan in the near future and discuss F.B.I. policy and investigative techniques. We would hope that such a meeting would answer questions that presently concern many of our students.

Thank you for your consideration. We look forward to your prompt reply.

Respectfully yours,



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Students for a Democratic Society is a militant youth group which has been extremely critical of U. S. policy in Vietnam and has received support from the Communist Party. This group and other protest groups are staging nationwide demonstrations against Selective Service college qualification tests being given during the next two weeks. Instructions have been furnished to the field for the handling of potential Selective Service Act violations arising out of these demonstrations.

This information is being disseminated to the Department of Justice, State, Secret Service and military intelligence agencies.
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TO DIRECTOR, SAN DIEGO AND LOS ANGELES

FROM CHICAGO (100-42717) 1P

VIDEM; COMINFIL, STUDENTS FOR A DEMOCRATIC SOCIETY (SDS), IS-C.

"NEW LEFT NOTES," WEEKLY SDS PUBLICATION, VOLUME ONE, NO. SEVENTEEN, MAY THIRTEEN LAST ISSUE, CONTAINED ARTICLE HEADED "SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA." ARTICLE STATED SOUTHERN CALIF. SDS REGION IS MOBILIZING AGAINST SELECTIVE SERVICE DRAFT TESTS FOR NEXT FEW WEEKS. SDS NATIONAL VIET NAM EXAM WILL BE PASSED OUT AT NEARLY ALL OF SELECTIVE SERVICE TESTING CENTERS IN SOUTHERN CALIF. IN CONJUNCTION WITH PASSING OUT EXAM, RALLIES WILL BE HELD THROUGHOUT SOUTHERN CALIF.

ON MAY TWENTYONE AND TWENTYTWO NEXT, RIVERSIDE SDS WILL MARCH TO MARCH AFB. THEY WILL THEN MARCH TO POMONA FOR RALLY. FROM POMONA THEY WILL PROCEED IN TORCH LIGHT PARADE TO LOS ANGELES, THIRTY MILES AWAY.

ON MAY TWENTYEIGHT NEXT, SOUTHERN CALIF. SDS'ERS WILL PICKET HOW CHEMICAL CORP. WHICH IS MANUFACTURER OF NAPALM.

MILITARY CHICAGO ADVISED.

SAN DIEGO AND LOS ANGELES NOTIFY APPROPRIATE AGENCIES AND SUBMIT

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MR. DELOACH FOR THE DIRECTOR

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Re Chicago airtel with enclosed letterhead memorandum dated 5/18/66.

Enclosed for the Bureau are 15 copies of a letterhead memorandum setting forth information concerning a sit-in demonstration at the Administration Building, University of Chicago, which commenced on 5/11/66, and ended on 5/17/66.

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COMMUNITY ORGANIZATION OF
STUDENTS FOR A DEMOCRATIC
SOCIETY (C.O.S.D.S.)
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Reference is made to Chicago letter dated May 18, 1966,
captioned as above.

A source, who has furnished reliable information in the
past, advised on the morning of May 17, 1966, that the students
and protesters conducting a sit-in at the University of Chicago
Administration Building decided to end the sit-in demonstration.
This sit-in was in protest to the university's policy of furnishing
the Selective Service with the class scholastic ranking of male
students. The protesters' spokesman declined to explain the reason
for their withdrawal, but called for a discussion among faculty and
students on the university's policy of furnishing these rankings to
Selective Service.

Source further stated that the sit-in demonstrators left
the Administration Building at about 1:50 AM on May 17, 1966,
without further incident.

The following agencies were notified regarding these
activities:

[redacted] United States Attorney's Office,
Chicago, Illinois

[redacted] Region I, 113th INTC Group,
Evanston, Illinois

[redacted] United States Secret Service,
Chicago, Illinois

[redacted] Chicago Police Department,
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TO DIRECTOR

FROM CHICAGO (25-45910) 1P

SELECTIVE SERVICE MATTERS STUDENTS FOR A DEMOCRATIC SOCIETY (SDS),
VIDEM; COMINFIL SDS, IS - C.

RELIABLE SOURCES TODAY ADVISED THAT SIT-IN OF TWENTY SIX TO
THIRTY FIVE PERSONS FROM SDS STARTED TODAY AT APPROXIMATELY ONE PM
ON EIGHTH FLOOR OF ROOSEVELT UNIVERSITY. SIT-IN PROTESTING AGAINST
RELEASING STUDENT'S MARKS BY UNIVERSITY TO SELECTIVE SERVICE BOARDS.
WILL CONTINUE ALLEGEDLY FOR INDEFINITE PERIOD. SIT-IN NOT DISRUPTING
ADMINISTRATION PERSONNEL OF UNIVERSITY. PARTICIPANTS HAD BEEN TOLD
THAT THEY WILL BE ARRESTED AFTER TEN THIRTY PM TODAY UNLESS THEY LEAVE
BUILDING. SECRET SERVICE, USA, MILITARY, AND LOCAL POLICE DEPARTMENT
ADVISED. LHM FOLLOWS.

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VIDEOT; COMINFIL SDS. ~~IS~~ G.

REMYTEL THIS DATE.

RELIABLE SOURCES TODAY STATED SIT IN ROOSEVELT UNIVERSITY,
CHICAGO, YESTERDAY BEGAN ON FIRST FLOOR OF UNIVERSITY BETWEEN
TWELVE THIRTY AND ONE PM AND MOVED TO EIGHTH FLOOR ADMINISTRATIVE
OFFICES. SOME HECKLING OCCURRED BETWEEN DEMONSTRATORS AND NON-
DEMONSTRATORS DURING SIT IN. THERE WAS NO INTERFERENCE WITH
UNIVERSITY ADMINISTRATION. WHEN ADMINISTRATIVE OFFICES CLOSED
AT FIVE PM, STUDENTS MOVED INTO EIGHTH FLOOR CORRIDOR. ON
CLOSING BUILDING AT TEN THIRTY PM, UNIVERSITY POLICE AND
CHICAGO PD REQUESTED DEMONSTRATORS TO LEAVE. ABOUT FOURTYFIVE
PERSONS REMAINED, OF WHICH TWENTYFIVE ARRESTED AT APPROXIMATELY
EVEN THIRTY PM BY CHICAGO PD. EIGHT OF PERSONS ARRESTED HAD
BE CARRIED OUT BY POLICE. THEY WERE CHARGED WITH RESISTING
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ARREST AND CRIMINAL TRESPASS. REMAINING SEVENTEEN PERSONS
ARRESTED, INCLUDING ONE JUVENILE, LEFT UNDER OWN POWER WITH
POLICE ESCORT AND WERE CHARGED WITH CRIMINAL TRESPASS.

^{UNITED STATES ATTORNEY}
SECRET SERVICE, USA, MILITARY AND LOCAL POLICE ADVISED.

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TO DIRECTOR

FROM CHICAGO (25-45910) (100-42717 SUB A) (100-40903) 1P

SELECTIVE SERVICE MATTERS, STUDENTS FOR A DEMOCRATIC SOCIETY (SDS).
VIDEM; COMINFIL SDS, IS- C.

REMYTELS THIS DATE.

RELIABLE SOURCE ADVISED THIS AM DEMONSTRATION WHICH STARTED
MAY NINETEEN LAST AT ROOSEVELT UNIV, CHICAGO, SCHEDULED TO
RESUME ONE PM, TODAY, WITH MEETING IN ROOM THREE TWO ZERO OF
UNIV. TO FORMULATE PLANS AS TO HOW LONG DEMONSTRATION SHOULD
CONTINUE.

EARL SILBAR, LEADER OF DEMONSTRATION AND SDS MEMBER, WHO WAS
NOT AMONG TWENTYFIVE ARRESTED YESTERDAY, SCHEDULED TO SPEAK AT
MEETING. HE REPORTEDLY HAS STATED ANOTHER SIT IN WILL BE HELD AND
WARNED IF FURTHER ARRESTS MADE "WE'LL BRING IN STUDENTS ALL OVER
THE MIDWEST."

SECRET SERVICE, USA, MILITARY AND LOCAL POLICE ADVISED.

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LECTIVE SERVICE MATTERS, STUDENTS FOR A DEMOCRATIC SOCIETY (SDS)
IDEN; COMINFIL SDS, IS - C.

RE INTELS THIS DATE.

RELIABLE SOURCE ADVISED TODAY ROOSEVELT UNIVERSITY MEETING HELD
ONE PM AS SCHEDULED UNDER NAME ROOSEVELT UNIVERSITY STUDENTS FOR
LF-DETERMINATION. MEETING DISCUSSED ARREST OF TWENTYFIVE STUDENTS
SIT-IN AT UNIVERSITY YESTERDAY AND SIT-IN DEMANDS FROM ROOSEVELT
UNIVERSITY ADMINISTRATION WERE RESTATED AS FOLLOWS:

NO CLASS RANKS BE GIVEN STUDENTS DRAFT BOARG, NO FURTHER GENERAL
SCIENCE RESEARCH ASSOCIATION TEST BE HELD AT ROOSEVELT UNIVERSITY AND,
STUDENTS BE GIVEN CHOICE IN DECISIONS CONCERNING UNIVERSITY. MEETING
ATTENDED BY APPROXIMATELY TWO HUNDRED SEVENTYFIVE PERSONS, MOSTLY
STUDENTS, AT THREE FIFTEEN P.M. ADJOURNED UNTIL MAY TWENTYTHREE
NEXT WITHOUT REACHING ANY AGREEMENT WITH ROOSEVELT UNIVERSITY
ADMINISTRATION.

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~~SECRET~~ RELIABLE SOURCES STATED AFTER MEETING, STEVE BAUM, SDS
T-IN LEADER, WITH OTHERS AT THREE TWENTYFIVE P.M. HELD PRESS
CONFERENCE IN FRONT OF ROOSEVELT UNIVERSITY. BAUM STATED SIT-IN
STARTED YESTERDAY WAS RESUMING AND CALL FOR PEOPLE FROM ALL MIDWESTERN
UNIVERSITIES TO COME AND JOIN SIT-IN. HE STATED, SIT-IN AT ROOSEVELT
UNIVERSITY WILL CONTINUE UNTIL UNIVERSITY MEETS DEMANDS. BAUM AND
GROUP AFTER PRESS CONFERENCE ENTERED UNIVERSITY TO CONTINUE SIT-IN.
AT ITS PEAK, SIT-IN NUMBERED APPROXIMATELY FIFTYFIVE PERSONS WHO
GREGGATED OUTSIDE OF UNIVERSITY'S ADMINISTRATION ON THE EIGHTH FLOOR.

AS OF SEVEN P.M. DEMONSTRATORS HAD DWINDLED TO FOUR PERSONS WHO
WERE IN DISCUSSION WITH UNIVERSITY OFFICIALS AND HAVE INDICATED THEY
PLANNED TO TERMINATE DEMONSTRATION TONIGHT PEACEFULLY WITH NO ARREST.
IT WAS LEARNED THAT THE REASON FOR THIS IS THAT THEY HAVE NO BAIL
MONEY AND DESIRE TO BE AVAILABLE TO RETURN TO UNIVERSITY AT EIGHT
P.M. TOMORROW MORNING TO PICKET SCIENCE RESEARCH ASSOCIATION,
SELECTIVE SERVICE TESTS TO BE GIVEN AT THE UNIVERSITY.

SECOND SOURCE ADVISED ROOSEVELT UNIVERSITY IS TO BE CLOSED AT
TEN THIRTY P.M. TODAY AT WHICH TIME UNIVERSITY WILL ADVISE DEMONSTRATORS
THEY ARE TRESPASSING AND TO LEAVE.

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CHICAGO PD WILL THEN BE CALLED IN AND WILL ALSO ADVISE
MONSTRATORS THEY ARE TRESPASSING AND TO LEAVE. IF DEMONSTRATORS
NOT LEAVE WITHIN A HALF HOUR, THEY WILL BE ARRESTED AND CHARGED
IN CRIMINAL TRESPASSING. IN ADDITION, AS LAST NIGHT, DEMONSTRATORS
ALL BE ADVISED ANY FAILURE TO SUBMIT TO ARREST AND LEAVE UNDER OWN
MER, WILL BE CONSTRUED AS RESISTING ARREST.

USA, SECRET SERVICE AND MILITARY ADVISED. LHM FOLLOWS.

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TO DIRECTOR

FROM CHICAGO (25-45910) (100-4217 SUB A) (100-40903)

SELECTIVE SERVICE MATTERS; STUDENTS FOR A DEMOCRATIC SOCIETY (SDS);
VIDEN; COMINFIL SDS. IS- C.

REMYTEL FIVE TWENTY INSTANT.

[REDACTED] ROOSEVELT UNIVERSITY, CHICAGO, 870
ADVISED THIS DATE GROUP OF THIRTYFIVE TO FORTY STUDENTS REMAINED
ON EIGHTH FLOOR OF UNIVERSITY BLOCKING A PUBLIC CORRIDOR LEADING
TO ELEVATOR AND FIRE ESCAPE UNTIL CLOSING TIME IN PROTEST AGAINST
UNIVERSITY MAKING STUDENTS GRADES AVAILABLE TO SELECTIVE SERVICE
OFFICIALS.

UPON BEING ADVISED OF CLOSING ALL BUT TWO STUDENTS LEFT.

THESE STUDENTS ANNE O'BRIEN, WHITE, FEMALE AND SEWARD RIST,
NEGRO, MALE, INSISTED ON BEING ARRESTED.

O'BRIEN AND RIST ARRESTED BY CHICAGO PD FIVE TWENTYONE INSTANT AT
SIX FORTY P.M. AND TAKEN TO FIRST DISTRICT. ARREST WAS PASSIVE AND
TWO CHARGED WITH CRIMINAL TRESPASS.

SECRET SERVICE, USA, MILITARY ADVISED.

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URGENT 5/21/66 JLS

DIRECTOR

FROM CHICAGO (25-45910) (100-42717 SUB A) (100-40903) 2P

SELECTIVE SERVICE MATTERS; STUDENTS FOR A DEMOCRATIC SOCIETY (SDS);
VIDEN; COMINFIL SDS. IS- C. b7c

REMYTELS MAY NINETEEN AND TWENTY LAST.

[REDACTED] b7D
[REDACTED] ADVISED THIS DATE THAT THIRTEEN
STUDENTS PICKETED AT UICCC PROTESTING THE SELECTIVE SERVICE DRAFT
DEFERMENT TEST GIVEN THIS DATE. PICKETING WAS PEACEFUL AND ORDERLY
AND ABANDONED APPROXIMATELY NINE THIRTY AM. NO REPORTED INCIDENTS
OR ARRESTS.

[REDACTED] CHICAGO b7c
PD, ADVISED THIS DATE THERE WERE NO PICKETS AT ROOSEVELT
UNIVERSITY, CHICAGO, DURING SELECTIVE SERVICE EXAM TIME. NO REPORTED
INCIDENTS OR ARRESTS AT ROOSEVELT UNIVERSITY, UICCC AND UNIVERSITY
OF CHICAGO.

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[REDACTED] b7D
ADVISED THIS DATE THAT THERE WAS NO PICKETING AT THE UNIVERSITY
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OF CHICAGO DURING SELECTIVE SERVICE EXAM TIME. ACTIVITY ON
CAMPUS WAS PEACEFUL AND ORDERLY.

[REDACTED] STATED THAT APPROXIMATELY SEVENTY FIVE INDIVIDUALS b7D
ASSEMBLED BEHIND BUILDING FIVE EIGHT ZERO ONE SOUTH ELLIS ON THE
UNIVERSITY OF CHICAGO CAMPUS AT TWELVE THIRTY PM TO HEAR EARL
SILBAR AND PAUL BOOTH, SDS EXECUTIVES, AND KARL MEYER OF THE
"CATHOLIC WORKER", RECENTLY RETURNED FROM SAIGON. A UNIVERSITY
OF CHICAGO STUDENT, KEN KRICH, AN OBJECTOR TO THE EXAM, HAD A TICKET
ISSUED BY THE UNIVERSITY OF CHICAGO TO STUDENTS TAKING EXAM, WAS
GOING TO BURN HIS TICKET AND EXPLAIN WHY HE WOULD NOT TAKE THE EXAM.

[REDACTED] b7D
[REDACTED] ADVISED SILBAR, BOOTH AND MEYER TALKED TO ASSEMBLAGE BUT
HE KNEW OF NO INCIDENT OF BURNING OF TICKET BY KRICH AT THIS
MEETING.

MEETING DISBANDED ONE FIFTY PM THIS DATE, WAS ORDERLY WITH
NO INCIDENTS OR ARREST.

SECRET SERVICE, USA, MILITARY NOTIFIED.

LHM FOLLOWS.

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FBI WASH DC

cc. Mr. Buger

SPECIAL INVESTIGATIVE DIVISION

5-1/66

Teletype reports continuation of student sit-in demonstration at Roosevelt University, Chicago, Illinois, which activities are sponsored by the Students for a Democratic Society, the leftist student organization. On 5/19/66 demonstrators arrested by Chicago police. As noted in attached teletype, additional arrests were made on night of 5/20/66. Demonstrators included in their demands a request that students' class rank not be given to Selective Service and that no further deferment examinations be given at the school.

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137AM CDST URGENT 5/21/66 JJC

TO DIRECTOR

FROM CHICAGO (25-45910) (100-42717 SUB A) (100-40903)

SELECTIVE SERVICE MATTERS, STUDENTS FOR A DEMOCRATIC SOCIETY(SDS);
Vietnam Demonstrations

VIDEM, COMINFIL, SDS, IS - C,
Communist Infiltration, Students For A Democratic Society,
INTERNAL SECURITY - COMMUNIST.

Reference my teletypes
REMYTELS MAY TWENTY LAST.

RELIABLE SOURCES STATED TODAY, DISCUSSION BY FOUR REMAINING
SIT-INNERS WITH ROOSEVELT UNIVERSITY OFFICIALS TERMINATED YESTERDAY
PM. FOUR SIT- INNERS WERE THEN JOINED BY SOME SIXTY RETURNING
SIT- INNERS ON EIGHTH FLOOR OF UNIVESITY. OFFICIALS PROMISE TO DROP
CHARGES AGAINST TWENTY- FIVE SIT- INNERS ARRESTED MAY NINETEEN LAST
IF PRESENT SIT- IN CEASED TURNED DOWN BY DEMONSTRATORS AT TEN THIRTY
PM UNIVERSITY AND CHICAGO POLICE TOLD SIT-INNERS THEY WOULD BE ARRESTED
IF THEY DID NOT LEAVE AS BUILDING WAS BEING CLOSED. SIT - INNERS ALL
Students For A Democratic Society
BUILDING EXCEPT EARL SILBAR, SDS SIT- IN LEADER, AND THREE OTHER
INDIVIDUALS CONSISTING OF A MALE AND TWO FEMALES. THEY WERE
UNDER ARREST AT ELEVEN TEN PM FOR REPESSING
AND PEACEFULLY, ESCORTED FROM BUILDING TO POLICE STATION. A FIFTH
PERSON, MALE, A ROOSEVELT FACULTY MEMBER, WAS TAKEN INTO CUSTODY
FOR BLOCKING TRAFFIC OUTSIDE OF UNIVERSITY WHEN POLICE WERE

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ESCORTING SILBAR AND OTHERS FROM BUILDING. CHARGES AGAINST
FIFTH INDIVIDUAL DROPPED.

United States Attorney
SECRET SERVICE, USA, MILITARY AND LOCAL POLICE ADVISED.

LHM FOLLOWS.

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FBI CHICAGO

PM CDST URGENT 5/23/66 MOA

TO DIRECTOR

FROM CHICAGO (25-45910)(100-42717 SUB A)(100-40903) 1P

SELECTIVE SERVICE MATTERS, STUDENTS FOR DEMOCRATIC SOCIETY
(SDS) CHICAGO DIVISION; VIDEM; COMINFIL OF SDS, IS - C.

REMYTELS MAY TWENTY ONE LAST.

[REDACTED] 870
ADVISED TODAY "SIT- IN" AT UNIVERSITY BEGAN AGAIN AT TWO THIRTY
P.M. THIS DATE. "SIT- INNERS" LED BY EARL SILBAR AND STEVE BAUM.
SDS LEADERS INTEND TO SIT THROUGH NIGHT INEIGHTH FLOOR CORRIDOR
OUTSIDE UNIVERSITY ADMINISTRATIVE OFFICES. "SIT- IN" IS PEACEFUL
AND THERE IS NO INTERFERENCE WITH UNIVERSITY'S ADMINISTRATION.
DEMONSTRATORS WILL BE TOLD TO LEAVE AT TEN THIRTY P.M. TODAY
WHEN BUILDING CLOSES AND IF THEY DO NOT DEPART AFTER ADEQUATE
WARNING, THEY WILL BE ARRESTED BY CHICAGO PD. SECRET SERVICE,
NSA, MILITARY AND LOCAL POLICE ADVISED. LHM FOLLOWS. 1307
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5:24 AM CDST URGENT 5/24/66 JJC

TO DIRECTOR

FROM CHICAGO (25 -45910) (100-42717 SUB A) (100-40903)

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SELECTIVE SERVICE MATTERS; STUDENTS FOR A DEMOCRATIC
SOCIETY(SDS); VIDEM; COMINFIL SDS - IS - C.

REMYTEL MAY TWENTY THREE LAST.

AT ELEVEN THIRTY PM [REDACTED] b7c

[REDACTED] CHICAGO PD, ADVISED TRUSTEES OF QUADRANGLE CLUB,
UNIVERSITY OF CHICAGO, DO NOT DESIRE ARREST OF TEN "SIT-IN
HUNGER STRIKERS" PRESENTLY OCCUPYING FIRST FLOOR OF CLUB.
DOORS OF CLUB LOCKED AT ELEVEN PM WITH "SIT- INNERS" LOCKED
INSIDE FOR NIGHT. SEVEN "SIT- INNERS" ARE MALE AND THREE FEMALE.
TRUSTEES FURNISHING OWN GUARDS AND POLICE ARE NOT BEING CALLED IN
UNLESS DEMONSTRATORS CAUSE TROUBLE. DEMONSTRATION PEACEFUL.

NO ARRESTS MADE. CHICAGO FOLLOWING.

SECRET SERVICE, USA, MILITARY ADVISED. LHM FOLLOWS.

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FBI CHICAGO

HOLD FOR TWO MESSAGES PLS

1240 AM CDSI URGENT 5/24/66 JJC

TO DIRECTOR

FROM CHICAGO (25-45910) (100-42717 SUB A) (100-40903)

SELECTIVE SERVICE MATTERS; STUDENTS FOR A DEMOCRATIC SOCIETY
(SDS) CHICAGO DIVISION; VIDEM; COMINFIL SDS, IS - C.

REMYTEL MAY TWENTY THREE LAST.

[REDACTED] ADVISED THAT FIFTY FIVE DEMONSTRATORS WERE AT ROOSEVELT UNIVERSITY THIS PM. WHEN ORDERED TO VACATE EIGHTH FLOOR PREMISES OF UNIVERSITY ALL BUT SIX OBEYED. THE SIX, ALL MALE, WHO REMAINED WERE ARRESTED FOR CRIMINAL TRESPASS TO LAND.

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CHICAGO FOLLOWING.

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HOLD FOR SECOND MESSAGE PLS

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1228AM CDSI URGENT 5-26-66 GAP

TO DIRECTOR

FROM CHICAGO (25-45910) (100-42717 SUB A) (100-40903) 1P

SELECTIVE SERVICE MATTERS; STUDENTS FOR A DEMOCRATIC SOCIETY (SDS)
CHICAGO DIVISION; VIDEM; COMINFIL SDS, IS- C.

REMYTELS MAY TWENTY FIVE LAST. [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] AND [REDACTED]

CPD, ^{87C}_{87D}

ADVISED APPROXIMATELY FORTYONE DEMONSTRATORS WERE AT ROOSEVELT
U. DURING EVENING. WHEN ORDERED TO VACATE EIGHTH FLOOR PREMISES
ALL BUT FOUR OBEYED. THE FOUR, TWO MALES AND TWO FEMALES WERE
CHARGED WITH CRIMINAL TRESPASS TO LAND.

CHICAGO FOLLOWING. SECRET SERVICE, USA AND MILITARY ADVISED.

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May 26, 1966

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BTC

Dear [REDACTED]

Your communication was received on May 24th.

In response to your request, information in our files must be maintained as confidential pursuant to regulations of the Department of Justice. I am sure you will understand the reason for this policy and why I am not in a position to furnish the data you desire.

Sincerely yours,
J. Edgar Hoover

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MAY 26 1966
COMM-FBI

(NOTE: Bufiles contain no information identifiable with correspondent. Students for a Democratic Society is a youth group with active communist infiltration.)

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Tele. Room _____
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MAIL ROOM ☐ TELETYPE UNIT ☐

Dear Sirs:

In the opinion of the Bureau, is the

organization "Students for a Democratic Society"
(SDS) a subversive or Communist front organization,
the members of which are on an FBI list?

Sincerely,

B7C

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FBI CHICAGO

PM CDST URGENT 5-23-66 AAA

TO: DIRECTOR

FROM: CHICAGO (25-45910; 100-42717 SUB A; 100-40905)

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SELECTIVE SERVICE MATTER, STUDENTS FOR A DEMOCRATIC SOCIETY (SDS);
VIDEM; COMINFIL SDS, IS - C.

RELIABLE SOURCE TODAY ADVISED THAT GROUP OF SIX TO TEN PERSONS
FROM STUDENTS AGAINST RANK AT UNIVERSITY OF CHICAGO AT NOON TODAY
BEGAN A "SIT- DOWN HUNGER STRIKE" AT UNIVERSITY OF CHICAGO CAMPUS
QUADRANGLE CLUB, ONE ONE FIVE FIVE EAST FIFTY SEVENTH STREET,
CHICAGO. "SIT- DOWN HUNGER STRIKE" IS PROTEST AGAINST UNIVERSITY
SENDING CLASS RANKS OF STUDENTS TO STUDENTS LOCAL DRAFT BOARDS .

87D

[REDACTED], ADVISED
TODAY THAT HE HAD BEEN INSTRUCTED BY UNIVERSITY LEGAL DEPARTMENT
THAT SINCE QUADRANGLE CLUB IS A PRIVATE STUDENT FACULTY CLUB THAT HE
SHOULD TAKE NO ACTION. TRUSTEES OF CLUB MAY LET STUDENTS REMAIN
IN BUILDING WHICH WILL BE LOCKED TONIGHT. TRUSTEES WILL HIRE PRIVATE
GUARDS TO WATCH PROTESTERS AND INSURE NO PROPERTY DAMAGE. THEY

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MAY LET STUDENTS SIT AND STARVE AS LONG AS THEY DESIRE.

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CHICAGO PD, IS WATCHING SITUATION

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CLOSELY BUT WILL NOT MOVE IN AND MAKE ARRESTS UNLESS REQUESTED BY CLUB TRUSTEES AND IS ASSURED BY THEM THAT CLUB TRUSTEES WILL SIGN COMPLAINTS. SECRET SERVICE, USA, AND MILITARY AUTHORITIES ADVISED. CHICAGO FOLLOWING MATTER. LHM FOLLOWS.

END

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TKS CLR

cc [handwritten initials]

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John / Robert

May 21, 1968
SPECIAL INVESTIGATION

VISION

Attached teletype reports seven individuals described as the "Hard Core" are staying a sit-in hunger strike in the Quadrangle Club on the University of Chicago campus. This club is a private association made up largely of faculty members. The Board of Directors at this time do not desire that the police arrest the striking students. The students are protesting against the University's policy of cooperating with the Selective Service system. Our Chicago Office is following developments through established reliable sources.

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FBI CHICAGO

1052 AM CDST URGENT 5/24/66 MOA

TO DIRECTOR

FROM CHICAGO (25-45910) (100-42717 SUB A) (100-40903) 2P

SELECTIVE SERVICE MATTERS; STUDENTS FOR A DEMOCRATIC SOCIETY
(SDS) VIDEM, COMM-IL SDS, IS-C.

COMMUNIST INFLUENCE

[REDACTED] STATED AT NINE AM TODAY THAT "SIT-IN-
HUNGER STRIKERS" NOW REDUCED TO "HARD CORE" OF SEVEN INDIVIDUALS
CONTINUING PROTEST ON MAIN FLOOR OF CLUB. STRIKERS NOT
ACTUALLY LOCKED IN LAST NIGHT AS THE WERE FREE TO GO AND
FREE TO RE-ENTER CLUB WHEN OTHER STRIKING STUDENTS REOPENED
CLUB DOORS, WHICH ARE LOCKED FROM INSIDE. [REDACTED] STATED HE
WAS UNABLE TO GET A PRIVATE GUARD TO WATCH STRIKERS DURING
NIGHT. [REDACTED] STATED HE AND MANY FACULTY MEMBERS FAVOR
IMMEDIATE ARREST OF STRIKERS, BUT CAN'T DO ANYTHING BECAUSE
OF DECISION OF BOARD OF DIRECTORS OF QUADRANGLE CLUB.

QUADRANGLE CLUB IS A PRIVATE ASSOCIATION ON CAMPUS MADE
END PAGE ONE

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UP LARGELY OF FACULTY MEMBERS AND BOARD PRESENTLY DESIRES
EXISTING SITUATION BE HANDLED WITHOUT ASSISTANCE OF
POLICE. [REDACTED] STATED HE EXPECTS FACULTY MEMBERS FAVORING
IMMEDIATE ARREST TO PROTEST SHORTLY AND INSIST THAT
STRIKING STUDENTS, NONE OF WHOM BELONG TO CLUB, BE DISPERSED.
SECRET SERVICE, USA, MILITARY, AND LOCAL POLICE ADVISED.

LHM FOLLOWS.

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FBI

Date: 5-18-66

Transmit the following in _____
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TO: DIRECTOR, FBI

FROM: SAC, CHICAGO

SUBJECT: SELECTIVE SERVICE MATTERS
STUDENTS FOR A DEMOCRATIC SOCIETY
CHICAGO DIVISION
Bufile 25-
Chicago file 25-45910

VIDEAM
INFORMATION CONCERNING
(INTERNAL SECURITY)
Bufile 105-138315
Chicago file 100-42717-Sub A

COMMUNIST INFILTRATION OF
STUDENTS FOR A DEMOCRATIC SOCIETY
IS - C
Bufile 100-439048
Chicago file 100-40903

Re Chicago teletypes 5/12,13,14,15/66, and Chicago
airtel with enclosed LHM 5/12/66.

Enclosed for the Bureau are 15 copies of LHM which sets
forth information concerning a sit-in demonstration at the
Administration Building, University of Chicago, which commenced
on 5/11/66 and as of 5/16/66, was still in progress.

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The following sources were utilized in the preparation of this LHM:

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The source is the Security Section, Intelligence Unit, Chicago Police Department.

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Files of the Chicago Office contain insufficient information to subversively characterize individuals and organizations not characterized in the enclosed LHM.

Special Agents observing picketing at Roosevelt University and University of Illinois - Chicago Circle Campus, were [REDACTED] and [REDACTED]

Chicago will continue to closely follow further developments in regard to this sit-in demonstration and will advise the Bureau of all pertinent developments.



UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

In Reply, Please Refer to
File No.

Chicago, Illinois
May 18, 1966

100-40903

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**COMMUNIST INFILTRATION OF
STUDENTS FOR A DEMOCRATIC
SOCIETY (SDS)
INTERNAL SECURITY - C**

Reference is being made to communication dated May 12, 1966, captioned as above.

A source advised on May 12, 1966, that the sit-in demonstration which began at 2:30 p.m. May 11, 1966, in the Administration Building, University of Chicago, Chicago, Illinois, in protest to the university's policy of cooperating with the Selective Service System by furnishing scholastic class ranking of male students who are eligible for the draft, continued as of May 12, 1966, with approximately 350 individuals participating. Source stated that as a result of this sit-in demonstration, all normal services within the Administration Building were totally disrupted, with the exception of the switchboard which was allowed to remain in operation. Source stated that because of this sit-in demonstration in the Administrative Building, university officials had issued instructions to all Administration Building employees to remain at home until further notice.

Source also stated that the disruption of normal services within the Administration Building continued to be complete until 8:00 p.m. May 13, 1966, at which time subsequent to a vote, the main body of the demonstrators dispersed from the Administration Building leaving only a token force behind of approximately 30 individuals to continue the demonstration. This token force has allowed normal services within the Administration Building to be restored and free access to and from the building is now permitted.

A [redacted] source advised on May 13, 1966, that Dick Gregory, a nationally known comedian, appeared before the sit-in demonstrators at a "teach-in" held at approximately 11:00 p.m. on May 12, 1966, in the Administration Building. 670

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SOCIETY (SDS)**

According to this source, Gregory was well received and he urged all demonstrators to continue the demonstration as he considered their cause a just one.

According to the [redacted] source, at approximately 10:15 a.m. on May 13, 1966 [redacted] an undergraduate student at the University of Chicago, when attempting to enter the Administration Building, was struck on the head by a walkie-talkie radio dropped from a window in the Administration Building. Source stated that as a result of being struck on the head, [redacted] required medical attention. - Source added that the identity of the assailant was not determined and no arrests were made in connection with this particular incident. b7c b7D

The [redacted] source indicated that subsequent to the dispersement of the main body of demonstrators during the late hours on May 13, 1966, the demonstrators left a petition, containing their protest demand, in the office of the President of the University of Chicago, Mr. George W. Beadle, located in the Administration Building. Thereafter, approximately 200 of the demonstrators marched to the residence of the President of the University of Chicago where they placed a duplicate copy of their petition under the door of the President's residence.

The [redacted] source advised on the evening of May 16, 1966, that during the period May 14 through May 16, 1966, a token force of approximately 25 sit-in demonstrators have remained on duty at the Administration Building on a shift basis and that during this time all services within the Administration Building have been permitted to proceed at a normal pace.

The [redacted] source also added that during the course of the entire sit-in, the demonstration has been conducted in an orderly and peaceful manner, and no incidents have been reported except the one incident noted above.

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SOCIETY (SDS)**

Source stated that the University of Chicago officials continue to follow a "hands off" policy towards the demonstrators. However, according to the first source, during the day of May 13, 1966, several of the student demonstrators were reportedly making telephone contacts with associates on other college campuses located throughout the United States in an attempt to obtain their support, and if their support was obtained, the Chicago demonstrators plan to enlarge this demonstration to also include a protest against United States intervention in South Viet Nam. This first source was unable to comment as to the results of these reported telephone contacts or if additional support was indeed obtained by the Chicago demonstrators.

The [redacted] source also advised that at a campus meeting on May 14, 1966, it was decided by the demonstrators that the demonstration should be continued by the use of a token force until May 18, 1966, at which time a new vote would be taken as to whether to continue or discontinue the demonstration based upon the University of Chicago administration's acceptance or rejection of the demonstrators protest demand. b7D

The [redacted] source added that during the entire sit-in demonstration at the Administration Building, University of Chicago, Jackie Goldberg, who had previously attended the University of California, Berkeley, California, has played a prominent and leading role in the organization and guidance of the sit-in demonstration. Source added that at a meeting of the sit-in demonstrators held during the weekend of May 14 to 15, 1966, the demonstrators requested and received the resignation of Jackie Goldberg as chairwoman of the protest demonstrators. According to the first source, the reason for Goldberg's requested resignation was because of her public acknowledgement that she had visited Russia as a delegate to a women's peace conference held there in 1963, and was a member of "Slate," University of California student group, which was the forerunner of the W.E.B. Du Bois Clubs of America. As a result of these admissions on the part of Goldberg, the demonstrators concluded that this would have an adverse effect on their cause.

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Information concerning the W.E.B. Du Bois Clubs of America is attached hereto.

An article which appeared in the Chicago "Sun Times", a Chicago daily newspaper, dated May 13, 1966, page four, was entitled "Draft - Data Demonstrators Take Over University of Chicago Building". The article stated in part:

"Jacqueline Goldberg, 21, a graduate student in education at the University, acted as chairman at several of the demonstrators' mass meetings in the building.

"Miss Goldberg was a leader in the Free Speech Movement at the University of California at Berkley."

Jacqueline Goldberg

A [redacted] source advised that Jacqueline Goldberg, who visited the U.S.S.R. in 1963, spoke at a meeting of the American Russian Institute (ARI) on November 24, 1963, regarding her recent trip to Russia as a delegate. 870

The ARI has been designated by the Attorney General of the United States pursuant to Executive Order 10450.

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Dr. Holland Roberts

A [redacted] source advised during 1964 that Dr. Holland Roberts was president of ARI and was a member of the Communist Party (CP) in 1964. 870

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An article in the Sunday edition of the "Chicago American", a Chicago daily newspaper, dated May 15, 1966, section one, page four, entitled "Leftists Planned U. of C. Sit-in Six Weeks Ago", stated as follows:

"The takeover this week of the University of Chicago administration building by a group of 300 to 400 students was engineered by Students for a Democratic Society, a leftist student organization.

"Altho the sit-in protesting release of student class standings to draft boards ostensibly was staged by an "ad hoc" committee, many members of that committee are also members of S.D.S.

"Plans for the protest were discussed at S.D.S. meetings 6 weeks ago, according to Aerlin Weissman, 18, who is one of several protest leaders who are not U. of C. students.

"Miss Weissman, whose father is head of the computer program at the University of Illinois Chicago Circle campus and a professor there, is a full time staff member at S.D.S. national office near the U. of C. campus.

"A pacifist, Miss Weissman has worked with conscientious objector programs of the American Society of Friends and in various civil rights programs.

"'After my parents objected to my work in civil rights', Miss Weissman said, 'I moved out. I don't know how my parents would view my participation in this demonstration.'

"Asked why S.D.S. did not take credit for the sit-in, Miss Weissman replied:

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"'There wasn't that much enthusiasm for it. But you can be sure that the success we have seen here will be publicized by S.D.S. across the nation to encourage other S.D.S. chapters to take similar action.

"'By our 'Watts Line' phone hookup, we coordinate activities with S.D.S. groups in Berkeley, Cal., City College of New York, Penn State, and the University of Colorado, to name a few.

"' Every hour that people continue to sit-in here at the U. of C. means more encouragement to others across the country."

"Asked if she had considered that a ban by the university on releasing grade rankings would hurt some students seeking draft deferments, she said:

"'I agree there is a legitimate problem there. I'm not sure I've resolved the question in my own mind. Some have said that if there are people who feel this way why haven't we heard from them? There may be something in that.

"'I'm here because I agree with those who say the way to save the country is by making a democratic society here at home - like helping Negroes to register to vote - not by going thousands of miles away from home to burn down some poor villager's hut.

"' We feel there are ways to serve one's country besides killing people. I am constantly appalled by what seemingly kindly old ladies at draft boards say when I ask them if they are aware they are sending people to their deaths in an immoral war."

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A [redacted] source advised on May 14, 1966, that the Students for a Democratic Society (SDS) on this date was scheduled to hold demonstrations at Roosevelt University, Chicago, Illinois, and at the University of Illinois - Chicago Circle Campus (UICCC) after which a rally would be held at Congress Plaza, Grant Park, Chicago. According to this source, these demonstrations and the rally were in protest to the staging of the Selective Service Qualification Test scheduled to be held at the above universities. 070

On May 14, 1966, at 11:00 a.m. Special Agents of the Federal Bureau of Investigation (FBI) observed approximately 15 individuals picketing at the UICCC. These pickets remained only for approximately 15 minutes, whereupon they proceeded to Roosevelt University where they joined ten additional sign carrying pickets. These signs read as follows "Unjust tests, unjust war" and "Bring home troops now". In addition, copies of the SDS "National Vietnam Examination and Answers" were distributed to passers by and students who were preparing to take the draft deferment test.

A copy of the SDS "National Vietnam Examination and Answers" is enclosed hereto.

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Among individuals participating in the picketing at Roosevelt University, Chicago, were Steve Baum and Earl Silbar.

Steve Baum and Earl Silbar

The [redacted] source advised on May 28, 1965, that Steve Baum and Earl Silbar were arrested by the Chicago Police Department for their participation in demonstrations against the House Un-American Activities Committee (HUAC) on May 27, 1965. The demonstrators protested the HUAC's hearings being held in Chicago sponsored by the Chicago Committee to Defend the Bill of Rights (CCDBR). 670

A characterization of the CCDBR is attached hereto.

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The picketing was observed to continue at Roosevelt University until approximately 1:30 p.m. The Selective Service Qualification Examination ended at 12:30 p.m. May 14, 1966. According to the sixth source, the test proceeded at both universities without interruption and no incidents were reported.

Special Agents of the FBI observed no individuals holding a rally in the vicinity of Congress Plaza, Grant Park, Chicago, subsequent to the dispersing of the pickets at Roosevelt University at 1:30 p.m. May 14, 1966.

The following agencies at Chicago were notified concerning the above activities:

[REDACTED] United States Attorney's Office;

[REDACTED] 113th INTC Group;

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[REDACTED] United States Secret Service;

[REDACTED] Chicago Police Department

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NATIONAL VIETNAM EXAMINATION

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Distributed by: Students for a Democratic Society
and Inter-University Committee for
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Instructions: This examination has been prepared to allow you to check your understanding of the war in Vietnam. For each question, indicate the correct answer or correct answers in the space provided. We believe in the importance in a democracy of putting the facts in the hands of every citizen to enable him to participate in decision-making. This is particularly true where the question is war and peace, and where the citizens are the young men who are called upon to fight.

1. The following statements were made by leading figures involved in the Vietnamese conflict. Match the quotations below with the author (more than one quotation can be attributed to the same individual).

- A) "I would like to see American students develop as much fanaticism about the U. S. political system as young Nazis did about their system during the war."
- B) "For years now in Southeast Asia, the only people who have been doing anything about the little man at the grassroots -- to lift him up -- have been the Communists."
- C) "The C.I.A. has employed some South Vietnamese and they have been instructed to claim they are Vietcong and to work accordingly... Several of these executed two village leaders and raped some women."
- D) "Do you think those (American) demonstrations were organized by some fine little social club? They were organized by an international apparatus: 95 per cent of the demonstrators are no more Communists than you and I, but the international Communist movement organized it and masterminded it."
- E) "The fever chart of every successful revolution... reveals a rising temperature of terrorism and counter-terrorism, but this does not of itself invalidate the legitimate goals that fired the original revolution. Most political revolutions--including our own--have been buoyed by outside aid in men, weapons and ideas."
- F) "... The Communists are closer to the people's yearning for social justice and an independent life than (my) own government."
- G) "The major part of the U. S. military task can be completed by the end of 1965, although there may be a continuing requirement for a limited number of U. S. training personnel."
- H) "I have only one (hero): Hitler"

- 1) John F. Kennedy
- 2) Ambassador Henry Cabot Lodge
- 3) Premier Nguyen Cao Ky
- 4) Barry Goldwater
- 5) Senator Stephen Young of Ohio
- 6) Secretary of Defense Robert S. McNamara
- 7) Vice-President Hubert H. Humphrey
- 8) President Lyndon B. Johnson
- 9) Ho Chi Minh

Free elections are a major issue in South Vietnam today. The earliest time at which (free elections were (are) supposed to take place was (is):

- (A) August, 1945
- (B) July, 1956
- (C) January, 1959
- (D) November, 1963
- (E) sometime in 1966

3. Which of the following accurately describe(s) the cause(s) of unrest in South Vietnam after 1956?

- (A) Saigon dissolved elected village councils and replaced them with appointed, often corrupt officials, many of whom were not from the villages they administered.
- (B) Saigon took land from farmers who had seized it during the war with the French (1946-54), and returned it to the former landlords who restored land rents.
- (C) Saigon cracked down on political dissidents.
- (D) From 1954 to 1956, the Saigon government gained substantial support and restored the economy to prosperity. Seeing no other way to gain control of South Vietnam, the North Vietnamese government ordered its agents in the South to begin a campaign of terror.

4. Which of the following statements about military operations in Vietnam, is (are) true?

- (A) American counter-insurgency forces arrived in South Vietnam as early as 1955.
- (B) South Vietnamese and American soldiers have infiltrated North Vietnam.
- (C) About three-quarters of the infiltrators from North Vietnam into South Vietnam from 1959 through 1964 were native Southern Vietnamese.
- (D) In South Vietnam "anti-Diem guerrillas were active long before infiltrated North Vietnamese elements joined the fray."

5. According to Mike Mansfield, majority leader of the Senate, there are 230,000 Viet Cong troops inside South Vietnam--of whom 30,000 are main force regulars including 14,000 North Vietnamese people's army men. Using these figures, what percentage of the total Viet Cong force is made up of North Vietnamese People's Army men?

- (A) 2%
- (B) 6%
- (C) 20%
- (D) 100%

6. There were approximately 840,000 South Vietnamese in all branches of the Saigon government's fighting forces in 1965. About how many were in the Saigon government's fighting forces in 1965? (about how many in 1965?)

- (A) 87
- (B) 800
- (C) 30,000
- (D) 82,000
- (E) 113,000

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7. The statement below is part of _____ entitled "What Kind of War Is This?"

"It is hard to disagree with President Johnson's announced aims in Vietnam. He has proclaimed those traditional goals for which Americans have always been prepared to fight...yet something new and ugly is happening in the way we fight for those goals. It began perhaps, with the decision to drop bombs and napalm on communist dominated peasant villages, killing and maiming the people we profess to defend from aggression... A Buddhist monastery wrecked by bombs... at least two monks killed, 10 injured... South Vietnamese troops beat and torture prisoners... U. S. Marines, under sniper attack, set a number of peasant villages afire with grenades and flame throwers... In one case, a woman and four children are found burned to death in the wreckage... It used to be axiomatic that there could be no victory in Vietnam without the support of the Vietnamese people... Our commitment to the people of South Vietnam is a commitment to protect them, not to destroy them in the name of the 'Free World'."

This statement appeared on the editorial pages of:

- ___(A) The Communist "Worker"
- ___(B) The Marine Reservist
- ___(C) The Students for a Democratic Society "New Left Notes"
- ___(D) The Saturday Evening Post

8. American planes on bombing missions in South Vietnam are sometimes unable to drop their bombs on specified targets. However, before returning to base, they must jettison their bomb loads. They are authorized to drop these bombs in a "free bomb zone." A free bomb zone is:

- ___(A) Sufficiently far out in the ocean so that noncombatants will not be injured
- ___(B) An unpopulated jungle area where ample warnings have been posted
- ___(C) An area in which any structure or movement can be bombed because the population is presumed to be "hostile" and therefore destroyable

9. The number of South Vietnamese civilian deaths caused by American and South Vietnamese military operations is:

- ___(A) 109 (from August 1, 1965 through March 1, 1966)
- ___(B) about 14,000 in January-February 1966 alone
- ___(C) none since only "hard-core Vietcong" are killed by American military operations
- ___(D) probably twice the number of Vietcong killed

10. Chemical crop destruction will have the following predictable effects on enemy-held territories:

- ___(A) Enemy military operations will be severely hampered by logistic shortages
- ___(B) Death from starvation will occur--first of all in young children and the elderly
- ___(C) Adult men are the least likely and last to suffer disease and death

11. The war in South Vietnam is supposed to be part of our policy to contain Communist Chinese aggression. How many Communist Chinese troops are actively engaged in combat in Vietnam?

- ___(A) None
- ___(B) 1,000
- ___(C) 50,000
- ___(D) 100,000
- ___(E) 800,000

12. The American Government claims that a main legal basis for fighting in Vietnam is our obligation under the mutual security clause of the South East Asia Treaty Organization (SEATO). The co-signees of the SEATO Pact are France, Pakistan, Philippines, New Zealand, Britain, Thailand, and Australia.

Of the approximately 850,000 troops fighting on the side of the Saigon government, how many come from SEATO countries other than the U. S.?

- ___(A) More than 100,000
- ___(B) About 75,000
- ___(C) About 45,000
- ___(D) Less than 5,000
- ___(E) None

13. The American government often denounces Communist terrorism. This terror _____ as a reason why the U. S. must never accept a Communist _____ in South Vietnam.

In recent months, three hundred thousand persons have been slaughtered in one of the following countries, yet the U. S. has failed to make a public statement opposing this violence. Which country?

- ___(A) North Vietnam
- ___(B) Indonesia
- ___(C) Soviet Union
- ___(D) Communist China
- ___(E) Cuba

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14. Which of the following American military heroes has, in the past, warned against committing a large number of American troops to land war on the Asian mainland:

- ___(A) Gen. Douglas MacArthur
- ___(B) Pres. Dwight D. Eisenhower
- ___(C) Gen. Matthew B. Ridgway
- ___(D) Gen. Maxwell Taylor
- ___(E) Gen. James Gavin
- ___(F) Gen. Omar Bradley

15. One of the main obstacles to negotiations has been the American disagreement with Hanoi's insistence that the Vietnamese settle their internal affairs "in accordance with the program of the National Liberation Front of South Viet Nam (Viet Cong)." Which of the following points are contained in the NLF program?

- ___(A) The establishment of "a government of national and democratic union... composed of representatives of all social classes, all nationalities, of all religions..."
- ___(B) "Implement essential democratic liberties: freedom of opinion, of press, of assembly, of movement, of trade unionism; freedom of religion without discrimination; and the right of all patriotic organizations of whatever political tendency to carry on normal activities."
- ___(C) "Elect a new National Assembly through universal suffrage."
- ___(D) "Support the national bourgeoisie in the reconstruction and development of crafts and industry."
- ___(E) "By negotiation and on the basis of fair prices, repurchase of distribution to landless peasants or peasants with insufficient land, those surplus lands that the owners of large estates must be made to relinquish if their domain exceeds a certain limit, be determined according to regional particularities."
- ___(F) "Overthrow the camouflaged colonial regime of the American imperialists..."

16. Which of the following statements about the willingness of the North Vietnamese to negotiate are accurate?

- ___(A) The North Vietnamese only began to show some interest in negotiation after we began bombing them
- ___(B) There have been seven documented offers to negotiate by North Vietnamese since September, 1964
- ___(C) "I must say that candor compels me to tell you that there is not been the slightest indication that the other side is interested in negotiations or in unconditional discussion although the United States has made some dozen separate attempts to bring this about." (President Johnson's speech, July 13, 1965)
- ___(D) The North Vietnamese have maintained that any negotiations must include the prior recognition of the Communist Chinese regime by the American government
- ___(E) The North Vietnamese and the National Liberation Front have maintained that the ultimate withdrawal of foreign troops accepted as the basis of negotiation, but that such withdrawal does not have to precede negotiations

17. If the approximately \$13 billion the U. S. is expending this year to prosecute the war in Viet Nam were distributed equally among South Vietnamese people, how much would each receive?

- ___(A) \$15
- ___(B) \$200
- ___(C) \$500
- ___(D) \$850

18. In order to be a conscientious objector (C.O.) to military service in the United States, you must:

- ___(A) Believe in God
- ___(B) Belong to a recognized church
- ___(C) Be against the use of force in any situation
- ___(D) Serve two years in a civilian hospital
- ___(E) None of the above

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1. (A) - public statements

(B) - 2. New York Times Feb. 27, 1966

(C) - 3. New York Herald-Tribune Nov. 31, 1965

(D) - 4. speech before Detroit Economic Club, Oct. 22, 1965

(E) - 5. speech before Kennedy in speech on the Senate floor speaking of the Algerian War, July 3, 1967

(F) - 6. concession to James Reston, reported in the New York Times, Sept. 7, 1965

(G) - 7. White House Statement, Oct. 2, 1963

(H) - 8. London Daily Mirror, July 4, 1965

2. (H) As provided for by Article 7 of the Final Declaration of the 1954 Geneva Conference, Article 6 provided that "the military demarcation line (between North and South Vietnam) is provisional and should not in any way be interpreted as constituting a political or territorial boundary." Free elections for national reunification were to be held in both zones in July 1956, but they were not held because the American-supported South Vietnamese Premier, Ngo Dinh Diem, unilaterally abrogated the Geneva Agreements, and decided instead to hold a referendum in the South only. The only choices on this ballot, held in October 1955, were Diem himself and the fading Emperor, Bao Dai, and Diem won overwhelmingly. At the time of the referendum, the London Economist pointed out that the number who voted in the Saigon-Cholon area exceeded the number of registrants by 150,000. For the details, see the book by an Indian representative to the Geneva-established International Control Commission (which was to supervise the nation-wide election), B. S. N. Murti, Vietnam Divided (1965), pp. 125-162, especially pp. 140-143, 157. For a discussion of explicit American support of Diem's refusal to prepare for the 1956 elections, see Robert Scheer, How the U. S. Got Involved in Vietnam (1965).

3. (A), (B), & (C) are all accurate. See B. S. N. Murti, Vietnam Divided (1965); Jean Lacouture, Vietnam: Between Two Truces (1966), especially pp. 67-68; Philippe Devillers, "The Struggle for the Unification of Vietnam," in P. J. Honey (ed.), North Vietnam Today (1962). Specifically on (B), Bernard B. Fall gives these figures for land ownership in South Vietnam: 2% of the land owners hold 45% of the land, whereas 72% hold only 15%. See his The Two Vietnams, revised ed. (1964), p. 208. (D), the official U. S. position -- see the 1965 State Department White Paper, Aggression from the North, p. 26 -- is contradicted in Fall, pp. 289-315, and Lacouture, (above).

4. All are true according to leading authorities. (A) American counter-insurgency forces broke the Geneva agreements by entering South Vietnam in 1955 under the cover of numerous U. S. government agencies, including the CIA. (B) The facts on South Vietnamese infiltration of the North can be found in Bernard B. Fall, The Two Vietnams, p. 371. (C) can be calculated from the official American figures given in the 1965 White Paper. These were native Southerners who had fought against the French and only gone North in 1954 in accordance with the 1954 Geneva Agreements. The quotation in (D) is from Fall, The Two Vietnams, p. 344. Even the White Paper does not mention Northern infiltration before 1959, whereas South Vietnamese President Diem said in March 1959 that "at the present time Vietnam is a nation at war." (Devillers, in Honey, p. 37.)

5. (B), 6%, is the correct answer. The small percentage of North Vietnamese troops compared to indigenous Viet Cong forces belies the U. S. government's contention that the war in Viet Nam is not a civil war but aggression from North Viet Nam. The figures used in this question can be found in the article by Bernard B. Fall in the New York Times Magazine, March 6, 1966. Fall states that in 1965 "in spite of losses, the enemy had more than doubled its strength from within. It is the realization of this fact that led Senator Mansfield's study group to conclude that Communist forces escalated right along with the American troop increase."

6. (E) According to official sources (New York Times, 2-24-66), 113,000 South Vietnamese soldiers (or approximately 20 percent of their armed forces) deserted in 1965, an increase of 50 per cent compared with the previous year.

7. (D) Saturday Evening Post of September 11, 1965.

8. The correct answer is (C).

According to an article by Bernard Fall, internationally known expert on Viet Nam and former consultant to the U. S. Government, American pilots flying missions in South Viet Nam can drop their unused bombs anywhere -- "any target, any structure, any movement at all" -- in free bomb zones. "The free bomb zones in South Viet Nam change constantly, so it is difficult to give any accurate acreage for them; an oneliving in these areas is presumed to be the enemy, or at least, presumed to be 'hostile' and therefore destroyable." -- (Ramparts, Dec., 1965)

9. (B) and (D) are correct, according to a report of the House Foreign Affairs Committee released March 17, 1966 by Rep. Clement Zablocki (D., Wis.). Zablocki added that "some recent search and destroy operations have resulted in six civilian casualties to one Viet Cong." (A) is the official figure, as released by Assistant Secretary of Defense John McNaughton on March 18. According to the Washington Star of August 19, 1965, the official figures "apparently are based on claims for civilian damages filed with the Vietnamese government." Peasant casualties have a hard time filing their claim with a remote and unpopular government. Against the official claim can be cited innumerable newspaper stories, including this Saigon dispatch on the American bombing raids in the South: "This is strategic bombing in a friendly allied country. Since the Viet Cong doctrine is to insulate themselves among the population and the population is largely powerless to prevent their presence, no one here seriously doubts that significant numbers of innocent civilians are dying every day in South Viet Nam." (Charles Moore New York Times, Sept. 5, 1965)

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10. (D) and (C) are correct.
Jean Mayer of the Harvard School of Public Health writes: "I can say flatly that there has never been a serious food shortage, (whether from natural causes, or by disruption of farming operations due to wars) ... which has not first and overwhelmingly affected the small children. In fact, it is very clear that death from starvation occurs first of all in young children and in the elderly ... I have already said that adults, and particularly adult men, survive much better than the rest of the population ... destruction of food thus never seems to hamper enemy military operations, but always victimizes large numbers of children ... to state it in other words, my point is not that innocent bystanders will be hurt by such measures, but that only bystanders will be hurt..." -- (Science, April 15, 1966)

11. The correct answer is (A) None. Neither the U. S. Government or anyone claim Communist Chinese troops are involved in the war.

12. The correct answer is (D) -- Less than 5,000 troops (or 0.6 per cent of the total forces). Australians recently committed 4,500 men, while New Zealand has 200 troops stationed in Viet Nam. The other five countries -- France, Pakistan, Philippines, Britain, and Thailand have failed to recognize what the U. S. Government thinks is their obligation.

13. (B) About three hundred thousand "real or suspected Communists" in Indonesia have been killed in the past few months by the army and by anti-Communist mobs. This has been abundantly documented, e.g. in U. S. News and World Report, 4-25-66.

14. All have made such warnings.
MacArthur's, Eisenhower's, Taylor's, and Bradley's statements are summarized in U. S. News and World Report, April 25, 1966. Gen. Ridgway's statement can be found in the same magazine, January 3, 1966. Gen. Gavin's comments appeared in a letter to the editor of Harper's Magazine in Feb., 1966.

15. All of them.
The program of the National Liberation Front may be found in Viet Nam: History, Documents, and Opinions on a Major World Crisis, Marvin E. Gettleman (ed.) 1965, pp. 254-6.

16. (B) and (E) are correct answers.
For ex. After Diem's assassination (in the Fall of 1963), Hanoi expressed willingness to discuss the establishment of a coalition neutralist government in South Viet Nam. (See New York Times, March 9, 1965) In Sept., 1964, U. N. Sec'y-General, U Thant, conveyed a North Vietnamese offer to send a representative to Rangoon to meet with a U. S. representative. (See Eric Severeld in Look Magazine, Nov. 26, 1965.)

On the last day of the bombing lull in mid-May, 1965, Hanoi asked the French to convey to the U. S. their willingness to negotiate without prior withdrawal of U. S. troops. (See Joseph Kraft, Philadelphia Bulletin, Jan. 5, 1966) For further documentation of these and other four instances of Hanoi's willingness to negotiate, see Peace in Vietnam, a report prepared for the American Friends Service Committee, Hill and Wang, 1966. As for the prior withdrawal of American troops see William Warbey M. P. letter to the Times of London, April 1, 1965. Also see New York Times, July 20, 1965

17. The correct answer is (D), since there are approximately 15 million South Vietnamese. By the prevailing theory that Communism feeds on poverty and misery, which is more likely to become a Communist -- a Vietnamese subject to military harassment, or a Vietnamese with \$866 living in peace? This figure is about six times the Vietnamese per capita income.

In contrast, according to official U. S. figures, it costs the U. S. about \$300,000 for every captured or killed Viet Cong. (Bernard B. Fall, The New York Times Magazine, March 6, 1966.)

18. The correct answer is (F) None of the above.
The Supreme Court of the United States has ruled (in U. S. vs Seeger, No. 50, October term, 1964) that a "religious agnostic" can be a conscientious objector if he sincerely holds a moral principle which "involves duties which ... are superior to those arising from any human relationship," such as those imposed by the state. The beliefs must simply "occupy the same place in the life of the objector as an orthodox belief in God holds in the life of one clearly qualified for exemption." Thus, you do not have to believe in God in order to be a C.O., nor do you have to belong to a recognized church. As for the use of force, one may still be a C.O. if he makes clear his opposition to the use of organized, indiscriminate killing that occurs in war.

One may file for conscientious objection at any time -- even after being inducted. Finally two years of alternative service must be performed if you are granted your C.O. claim but the range of accepted activities extend into all aspects of American life. For more information, see The Guide to Conscientious Objection published by Students for a Democratic Society (SDS).

Further sources:
Bernard D. Fall and Marcus G. Raskin, eds., The Vietnam Reader, Random House.
J. P. Stone's Weekly, 5618 Nebraska Ave., N. W., Washington, D. C.
Viet-Report, 133 W. 72nd Street, New York, N. Y. 10023.

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CHICAGO COMMITTEE TO DEFEND
THE BILL OF RIGHTS

The Chicago Committee to Defend the Bill of Rights (CCDBR) maintains headquarters in Suite 424, 431 South Dearborn Street, Chicago, Illinois.

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A third source advised on May 5, 1965, that the original stated purposes for the CCDBR continue to be adhered to with CRILEY continuing as the motivating force behind the Committee. The Board of Directors, however, now includes many individuals in the religious, educational and labor fields who are not known as CP members.

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W.E.B. DU BOIS CLUBS OF AMERICA (DCA)

A source has advised that on October 26-27, 1963, a conference of members of the Communist Party (CP), including national functionaries, met in Chicago, Illinois, for the purpose of setting in motion forces for the establishment of a new national Marxist-oriented youth organization which would hunt for the most peaceful transition to socialism. The delegates to this meeting were cautioned against the germ of anti-Soviet and anti-CP ideologies. These delegates were also told that it would be reasonable to assume that the young socialists attracted into this new organization would eventually pass into the CP itself.

A second conference of over 20 persons met in Chicago on December 28-29, 1963, for the purpose of initiating a "call" to the new youth organization and planning for a founding convention to be held in June, 1964.

A second source has advised that the founding convention for the new youth organization was held from June 19-21, 1964, at 150 Golden Gate Avenue, San Francisco, California, at which time the name W.E.B. DuBois Clubs of America (DCA) was adopted. Approximately 500 delegates from throughout the United States attended this convention. The aims of this organization, as set forth in the preamble to the constitution, are, "It is our belief that this nation can best solve its problems in an atmosphere of peaceful coexistence, complete disarmament and true freedom for all peoples of the world, and that these solutions will be reached mainly through the united efforts of all democratic elements in our country; composed essentially of the working people allied in the unity of Negroes and other minorities with whites. We further fully recognize that the greatest threat to American democracy comes from the racist and right wing forces in coalition with the most reactionary sections of the economic power structure, using the tool of anti-Communism to divide and destroy the unified struggle of the working people. As young people in the forces struggling for democracy, we shall actively strive to defeat these reactionary and neo-fascist elements and to achieve complete freedom and democracy for all Americans, thus enabling each individual to freely choose and build the society he would wish to live in. Through these struggles we feel the American people will realize the viability of the socialist alternative."

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The constitution further states that this new organization shall be a membership organization open to individuals, or if five or more people so desire, a chapter can be formed which shall in turn be guided by the policies and principles of the parent organization.

As of October, 1965, the headquarters of the DCA was located at 954 McAllister Street, San Francisco, California.

During the Labor Day weekend, 1965, the DCA held a conference in Chicago, Illinois. According to a third source, a national officer was elected at this conference. The third source, attended a CP cadre encampment held at Camp Midvale, New Jersey, in June, 1965, and following his election as Chairman of the DCA, attended another national CP cadre youth conference held on September 9-12, 1965, on a farm located in Northern Indiana, according to a fourth source); Director of Publicity CARL ELLENGER BLOICE (who was elected to the San Francisco County Committee CP in April, 1964, according to a fifth source); Educational Director MATTHEW "DYNAMITE" HALLINAN (who in June, 1964, was stated to be the Youth Representative of the Northern California CP District Board, according to a sixth source); Organizational Secretary TERENCE "KAYO" HALLINAN (who, according to a seventh source, met in June 1965, in the District Staff of the Illinois CP to discuss the proposed DCA Midwest Summer Project), and Treasurer SUSAN PHYLLIS BORENSTEIN (who, according to an eighth source, has attended meetings of the Youth Club of the CP of Illinois during 1965 in connection with the DCA Summer Project).

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 OF STUDENTS FOR A DEMOCRATIC
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Reference Memorandum dated and captioned
 as above.

All sources (except any listed below) whose
identities are concealed in referenced communication have
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SELECTIVE SERVICE MATTERS; STUDENTS FOR DEMOCRATIC SOCIETY (SDS);
VIDEN; COMINFIL SDS. IS-C.

REMYTELETYPE MAY TWENTY FOUR INSTANT.

[REDACTED] STATED AT THREE
FORTY FIVE P.M. TODAY THAT "SIT-IN HUNGER STRIKE" AT CLUB ACTUALLY
IS A PLAIN "SIT-IN" AS IDENTITY OF SEVEN PERSONS CURRENTLY PARTICIPATING
IS CONSTANTLY CHANGING. PARTICIPANTS APPARENTLY ARE LEAVING AND
EATING THEN RETURNING TO CLUB RELIEVING OTHER PARTICIPANTS. SO
FAR "SIT-IN" HAS BEEN PEACEFUL AND NO INCIDENT OF VIOLENCE HAS
OCCURRED. [REDACTED] STATED BOARD OF DIRECTORS OF CLUB ARE MEETING AT
FOUR THIRTY P.M. TODAY TO DECIDE WHAT TO DO ABOUT "SIT-IN". [REDACTED]
BELIEVES THAT BOARD WILL CONTINUE FOR PRESENT TO LET STUDENTS CARRY
ON "SIT-IN". SECRET SERVICE, USA, MILITARY, AND LOCAL POLICE
ADVISED. LHM FOLLOWS.

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TO DIRECTOR

FROM CHICAGO (25-45910)

SELECTIVE SERVICE MATTERS, STUDENTS FOR A DEMOCRATIC SOCIETY
(SDS), CHICAGO DIVISION; VIDEM; COMINFIL OF SDS, IS- C.

REMYTELS MAY TWENTY FOUR, INSTANT.

ADVISED AT

THREE FIFTEEN P.M. TODAY GROUP OF FIVE STUDENTS INCLUDING STEVE
BAUM, SDS LEADER, HAVE RESUMED SIT- IN AT ROOSEVELT. GROUP HAS CALLED
MEETING FOR THREE THIRTY P.M. AT ROOSEVELT FOR DEMONSTRATORS,
PRO- SYMPATHIZERS, ANTI- SYMPATHIZERS, FACULTY, OR ANYONE WHO DESIRES
TO ATTEND MEETING AND DISCUSS SIT- IN. [REDACTED] EXPECTS SIT-IN TO
CONTINUE TODAY WITH ARRESTS, SIMILAR TO ARRESTS OF LAST FEW DAYS,
TAKING PLACE TONIGHT AFTER TEN THIRTY P.M. WHEN BUILDING WILL BE CLOSED.

SECRET SERVICE, USA, MILITARY AND LOCAL POLICE ADVISED.

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TO: DIRECTOR

FROM: CHICAGO (25-45910) (100-42717SUB A) (100-40903)

SELECTIVE SERVICE MATTERS; STUDENTS FOR A DEMOCRATIC SOCIETY (SDS)
CHICAGO DIVISION; VIDEM; COMINFIL SDS, IS - C.

REMYTELS MAY TWENTY FOUR INSTANT.

[REDACTED] ADVISED EIGHT PM TODAY THAT BOARD OF DIRECTORS OF QUADRANGLE CLUB MET AT FOUR THIRTY PM AND THERE HAS BEEN NO CHANGE OF POLICY RE "SIT- INNERS" AT CLUB. [REDACTED] STATED THAT FACULTY CLUB MEMBERS IN THE MAJORITY ARE GREATLY ANGERED AT ACTION OF "SIT- IN" STUDENTS AND WOULD LIKE TO HAVE THEM ARRESTED. HOWEVER, PRESENT FEELING OF FACULTY CLUB MEMBERS IS TO FOLLOW POLICY OF "HANDS OFF" STUDENTS AS PREVIOUSLY SET DOWN BY UNIVERSITY OF CHICAGO ADMINISTRATION.

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[REDACTED] ADVISED THAT THERE ARE PRESENTLY FIVE STUDENTS SITTING IN ON MAIN FLOOR OF CLUB. DURING DAY THERE HAVE BEEN AT LEAST FOUR CHANGES OF SHIFTS CONSISTING OF AN AVERAGE OF SEVEN STUDENTS DURING EACH SHIFT. THERE HAS BEEN NO VIOLENCE AND NONE IS EXPECTED.

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STATED THEY

WILL KEEP CHICAGO FBI ADVISED OF ANY NEW DEVELOPMENTS OR CHANGE OF
POLICY BY CLUB BOARD.

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TO DIRECTOR

FROM CHICAGO (25-45910) (100-42717 SUB A) (100-40903) 2P

SELECTIVE SERVICE MATTERS, STUDENTS FOR A DEMOCRATIC SOCIETY (SDS);

VIDEM; COMINFIL, SDS. IS-C.

REMYTELS MAY TWENTYFOUR LAST.

[REDACTED]
[REDACTED] NINE AM TODAY, SAID "SIT-IN" AT CLUB CONTINUED THROUGH NIGHT. TWO FEMALES AND THREE MALES CURRENTLY PARTICIPATING. MEMBERS OF CLUB GREATLY ANGERED WITH "SIT-INNERS" FOR NOT CARRYING OUT "SIT-IN - HUNGER STRIKE" AS ORIGINALLY ANNOUNCED. MANY MEMBERS FORMERLY SYMPATHETIC NOW OF OPINION "SIT-INNERS" ARE EATING, ONLY SEEKING PUBLICITY AND HAVE NO HONEST INTEREST IN IDEOLOGICAL QUESTION INVOLVED. BOARD OF DIRECTORS OF CLUB, WHICH CLUB IS PRIVATE ORGANIZATION, IS COMPOSED ALMOST ENTIRELY OF UNIV. OF CHICAGO FACULTY MEMBERS. BOARD HAS DINNER MEETING SCHEDULED SIX PM TODAY TO DISCUSS "SIT-IN." ALTHOUGH THERE IS NOW MUCH OPPOSITION TO LETTING "SIT-IN" CONTINUE,

[REDACTED] BELIEVES BOARD WILL NOT GO AGAINST POLICY OF UNIV. ADMINISTRATION ITSELF, WHICH PERMITS SUCH DEMONSTRATIONS

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FOR PRESENT [REDACTED] EXPECTS "SIT-IN" TO CONTINUE. 820

"SIT-IN" PEACEFUL TO DATE AND NO ARRESTS MADE.

SECRET SERVICE, USA, MILITARY AND LOCAL POLICE ADVISED.

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TO DIRECTOR

FROM CHICAGO (25-45910) (100-42717) SUB A) (100-40903)

SELECTIVE SERVICE MATTERS, STUDENTS FOR A DEMOCRATIC SOCIETY (SDS);
VIDEM; COMINFIL, SDS, IS-C.

REMYTELS DATED MAY TWENTY FIVE INSTANT.

AT FIVE TWENTY PM TODAY SAID THAT TOKEN "SIT-IN" GROUP OF SIX OR SEVEN
PERSONS NOW ON EIGHTH FLOOR OF UNIVERSITY. [REDACTED] EXPECTS GROUP
TO GROW TO APPROXIMATELY TWENTY FIVE TO FORTY FIVE BEFORE BUILDING
IS CLOSED FOR EVENING. HE EXPECTS ADDITIONAL ARRESTS TONIGHT.

[REDACTED] STATED THAT ROOSEVELT UNIVERSITY DEAN IS NOW CONSIDERING
SUSPENSION OF TWO STUDENTS ARRESTED ON TWO OCCASIONS DURING PAST FEW
DAYS. [REDACTED] WILL KEEP CHICAGO FBI ADVISED.

SECRET SERVICE, USA, MILITARY AND LOCAL POLICE ADVISED. LHM

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CGfile 100-40903

Re Chicago teletypes dated 5/10/66 and 5/11/66.

Enclosed for the Bureau are 15 copies of a LHM which sets forth information concerning a sit-in demonstration which commenced at 2:30 PM, 5/11/66, in the Administration Building located on the campus of the University of Chicago, Chicago, Illinois.

The following sources were utilized in the preparation of this LHM:

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The [REDACTED] source is the Security Section, Intelligence Unit, Chicago Police Department.

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Files of the Chicago Office contain insufficient information to subversively characterize individuals and organizations not characterized in the enclosed LHM.

Chicago will continue to closely follow future developments in regard to this sit-in demonstration and will advise the Bureau of all pertinent developments.



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COMMUNIST INFILTRATION OF
STUDENTS FOR A DEMOCRATIC SOCIETY (SDS)
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A [redacted] source advised on May 10, 1966, that approximately 300 students of the University of Chicago, Chicago, Illinois, planned a sit-in demonstration at the Administration Building located on the campus of the University of Chicago. Source stated that this sit-in demonstration was scheduled to commence at 8:00 AM on May 11, 1966, and that the purpose of this sit-in was to protest the University's policy of cooperating with the Selective Service System by their (University of Chicago) furnishing scholastic class ranking of male students who are eligible for the draft. b6 b7C

This source further advised that individuals initiating this sit-in demonstration are members of the Students for a Democratic Society (SDS) and that a concerted effort was being made to make this demonstration a complete success. Source added that as a result of this sit-in demonstration, they hoped to completely disrupt normal operations in the Administration Building with the intention of forcing University of Chicago officials to refrain from scholastically ranking male students. b7D

A [redacted] source advised on May 10, 1966, that University of Chicago officials had received information which reflected that students of the University of Chicago were contemplating a sit-in demonstration on May 11, 1966, which would protest the University's policy of scholastically ranking male students who were eligible for the draft and thereafter furnishing such information to the Selective Service System.

Source added that this sit-in demonstration was being instigated by several individuals who are members of SDS and that the goal of these SDS members was to arouse campus-wide interest against the University of Chicago's policy of scholastically ranking male students.

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**COMMUNIST INFILTRATION OF STUDENTS
FOR A DEMOCRATIC SOCIETY (SDS)**

According to this [redacted] source, the University of Chicago desires no incidents or arrests of individuals participating in this sit-in demonstration and that the tentative plans of the University of Chicago calls for no interference whatsoever on the part of University officials or the Chicago Police Department.

The [redacted] source advised on May 11, 1966, that approximately 300 students of the University of Chicago, which consisted of SDS members and other campus student organizations, began a sit-in demonstration in the Administration Building on the campus of the University of Chicago at 2:30 PM on this date for the purpose previously mentioned. b7C

Source stated that as a result of this sit-in demonstration, all elevators, stairways, and hallways in the building were blocked and that normal services of the Administration Building have been totally disrupted.

According to this source, individuals who are active as marshals for the sit-in are Jackie Goldberg, Steve Goldsmith, Stan Teplich, Miles Moglescu, Jonathan Kaplan, Steve Baum and Earl Silbar. In addition, source stated present at the demonstration but not actually participating in the sit-in was Sylvia Fischer.

Steve Baum and Earl Silbar

The [redacted] source advised on May 28, 1965, that Steve Baum and Earl Silbar were arrested by the Chicago Police Department for their participation in demonstrations against the House Un-American Activities Committee (HUAC) on May 27, 1965. The demonstrators protested the HUAC's hearings being held in Chicago sponsored by the Chicago Committee to Defend the Bill of Rights (CCDBR).

A characterization of the CCDBR is attached hereto.

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**COMMUNIST INFILTRATION OF STUDENTS
FOR A DEMOCRATIC SOCIETY (SDS)**

The [redacted] source, advised on April 29, 1966, that the Communist Party, in the recent past, discussed the feasibility of contacting Sylvia Fischer, but decided the Communist Party had no influence over her and that it would be useless to try to work with her.

The [redacted] source further advised on May 11, 1966, that present plans of the sit-in demonstrators call for the sit-in to continue until the morning of May 12, 1966, and at that time a decision will be made whether or not to continue the demonstration. This source also advised that no effort to interfere with the demonstration has been made by University of Chicago officials and that the demonstration has been orderly. 670

The [redacted] source advised on May 11, 1966, that a sit-in demonstration commenced at 2:30 PM this date in the Administration Building on the campus of the University of Chicago involving approximately 250 students of the University of Chicago.

The [redacted] source added that subsequent to 2:30 PM, the number of students participating in the sit-in demonstration was increasing and that the demonstration was quiet in manner.

The [redacted] source also advised that the University of Chicago officials were maintaining a "hands off" policy toward individuals participating in this demonstration and that every effort was being made to avoid any incidents.

The following agencies at Chicago were notified concerning the above activities:

[redacted]
United States Attorney's Office 670

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113th INTC Group

**COMMUNIST INFILTRATION OF STUDENTS
FOR A DEMOCRATIC SOCIETY (SDS)**

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CHICAGO COMMITTEE TO DEFEND
THE BILL OF RIGHTS

The Chicago Committee to Defend the Bill of Rights (CCDBR) maintains headquarters in Suite 424, 431 South Dearborn Street, Chicago, Illinois.

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A third source advised on May 5, 1965, that the original stated purposes for the CCDBR continue to be adhered to with CRILEY continuing as the motivating force behind the Committee. The Board of Directors, however, now includes many individuals in the religious, educational and labor fields who are not known as CP members.

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The [REDACTED] source, an agency which collects security data in the Chicago area.

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REMYTELS MAY TWENTY FOUR LAST.

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[REDACTED] AND [REDACTED]
[REDACTED] CGPD ADVISED THAT FOURTY ONE DEMONSTRATORS
WERE AT ROOSEVELT UNIVERSITY THIS PM. WHEN ORDERED TO VACATE
EIGHTH FLOOR PREMISES OF UNIVERSITY ALL BUT THREE OBEYED. THE THREE,
ALL MALE, WHO REMAINED WERE ARRESTED FOR CRIMINAL TRESPASS TO LAND.

CHICAGO FOLLOWING.

SECRET SERVICE, USA AND MILITARY ADVISED.

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SELECTIVE SERVICE MATTERS; STUDENTS FOR A DEMOCRATIC SOCIETY;
VIDEM; COMINFIL SDS; IS- C.

REMYTEL MAY TWENTYFIVE, LAST.

[REDACTED] NINE THIRTY AM TODAY, STATED SIT IN AT CLUB CONTINUING.
SIX MALES PRESENTLY PARTICIPATING. CLUB BOARD LAST NIGHT DECIDED
IF DEMONSTRATORS NOT OUT OF CLUB BY NOON TOMORROW THEY WILL BE TOLD
TO LEAVE, GIVEN UNTIL FIVE PM TO COMPLY, OR BE ARRESTED.

[REDACTED] TEN AM TODAY SAID
DEMONSTRATION AT WOODWARD COMMONS HAS DISCONTINUED.

OTHER DEMONSTRATORS WHO WERE AROUND ADMINISTRATION BUILDING
UC PITCHED COMMAND TENT AND PUP TENTS OUTSIDE BUILDING AND SLEPT
THERE LAST NIGHT. TWENTY DEMONSTRATORS STILL PARTICIPATING.

NO INCIDENTS EXCEPT SOMEONE TURNED LAWN SPRINKLING SYSTEM ON LAST
NIGHT SOAKING THESE DEMONSTRATORS.

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UC STUDENT REFERENDUM YESTERDAY BY SIX FOUR SEVEN TO THREE TWO
END VOTE SUPPORTS UC POLICY OF NOT PROVIDING ACADEMIC INFO
TO DRAFT BOARDS UNLESS STUDENT SO REQUESTS. DEMONSTRATORS
AGAINST THIS POLICY OR ANY COOPERATION WITH DRAFT BOARDS WHATSOEVER.

UC FACULTY SENATE MEETING TEN AM MAY TWENTY SEVEN NEXT TO
DECIDE WHAT ACTION TO BE TAKEN AGAINST DEMONSTRATORS.

SECRET SERVICE, USA, MILITARY AND LOCAL POLICE ADVISED.

LHM FOLLOWS.

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CC MR. SULLIVAN

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VIDEM; COMINFIL, IS-C.

REMYTEL MAY TWENTYFIVE, INSTANT.

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[REDACTED] AT TEN AM TODAY SAID THAT "SIT-IN" GROUP AT UNIVERSITY IS
HAVING MEETING TODAY TO MAKE PLANS TO CONTINUE DEMONSTRATION.

IVERSITY FACULTY IS ALSO HAVING MEETING TODAY TO DISCUSS
UATION. [REDACTED] HAS MADE STRONG REQUESTS OF UNIVERSITY
ADMINISTRATION TO CARRY OUT PREVIOUSLY ANNOUNCED POLICY TO EXPEL
STUDENTS PARTICIPATING IN "SIT-IN" WHO HAVE BEEN ARRESTED TWICE.
THERE ARE TWO STUDENTS IN THIS CATEGORY, BOTH WITH FAILING GRADES,
WHO ARE APPARENTLY ACTING AS TEST CASE TO CHALLENGE ADMINISTRATION
POLICY. NO "SIT-IN" GOING ON AT PRESENT TIME BUT [REDACTED] EXPECTS
ACTIVITIES TO RESUME SOMETIME THIS AFTERNOON. SECRET SERVICE, MAY 25, 1966

ITARY, AND LOCAL POLICE ADVISED. LHM FOLLOWS

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TO DIRECTOR

FROM CHICAGO (25-45910) 1P

SELECTIVE SERVICE MATTERS, STUDENTS FOR A DEMOCRATIC
SOCIETY (SDS); VIDEM; COMINFIL SDS IS - C.

REMYTEL MAY TWENTY SEVEN, INSTANT.

[REDACTED] ADVISED TWELVE NOON TODAY SIT- IN CONTINUES AT
QUADRANGLE CLUB, AS DOES UNIVERSITY OF CHICAGO DEMON-
STRATION OUTSIDE OF ADMINISTRATION BUILDING, AS DES-
CRIBED IN MY PREVIOUS TELS. SIX STUDENTS AT QUADRANGLE
CLUB SIT- IN AND THERE ARE TWENTY FIVE DEMONSTRATORS
OUTSIDE ADMINISTRATION BUILDING GATHERED AROUND HEADQUARTERS
TENT PITCHED ON CAMPUS. BOTH SIT- IN AND DEMONSTRATION
CONTINUING PEACEFULLY AND WITH NO ARRESTS. SECRET SERVICE,
USA, MILITARY AND CPD ADVISED. LHM FOLLOWS.

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REMYTEL IN CAPTIONED MATTER AND MYTEL ENTITLED "UNSUB; THREAT TO
BOMB ADMINISTRATIVE BUILDING, UNIVERSITY OF CHICAGO, FIVE EIGHT
ZERO ONE SOUTH ELLIS, CHICAGO, ILLINOIS, MAY TWENTY SIX, SIXTYSIX",
BOTH DATED MAY TWENTY SIX, INSTANT.

FIVE P.M. TODAY, SAID SIT IN WITH FIVE MALES AND ONE FEMALE STUDENT
AT CLUB CONTINUES.

FIFTEEN P.M. TODAY SAID TWENTY DEMONSTRATIONS REMAINED NEAR COMMAND
TENT AND ONE PUPTENT PITCHED OUTSIDE UNIVERSITY ADMINISTRATION BUILDING
FULOP AND EIDSON WILL KEEP CHICAGO ADVISED OF ANY DEVELOPMENTS.

DEMONSTRATIONS PEACEFUL TO DATE. NO ARRESTS. SECRET SERVICE, USA
AND MILITARY ADVISED.

BY INCC MR. SULLIVAN
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TO DIRECTOR

FROM CHICAGO (25-45910) (100-42717 SUB A) (100-40903)

SELECTIVE SERVICE MATTERS, STUDENTS FOR A DEMOCRATIC SOCIETY (SDS);
VIDEM; COMINFIL, SDS. IS-C.

REMYTEL MAY TWENTYFIVE INSTANT.

[REDACTED] 870
FIVE PM TODAY, SAID "SIT-IN" AT CLUB CONTINUES. APPROXIMATELY SEVEN
OR EIGHT INDIVIDUALS CURRENTLY PARTICIPATING.

[REDACTED] 870
ADVISED FIVE
FIFTEEN PM TODAY THAT TWO FEMALE AND TWO MALE STUDENTS ARE CONDUCTING
A SIT IN AT WOODWARD COMMONS, A GIRLS DORMATORY ON U. OF C CAMPUS
PROTESTING DRAFT RANKING. [REDACTED] ALSO ADVISED THAT GROUP OF SOME
TWENTY STUDENTS HAVE BEEN "HANGING" AROUND OUTSIDE OF UNIVERSITY
ADMINISTRATION BUILDING TODAY. GROUP IS CONGREGATION AROUND SIGN
READING "THIS BUILDING IS AN ADJUNCT OF SELECTIVE SERVICE SYSTEM."

[REDACTED] STATED THAT HE HAS OBSERVED BEDROLLS IN VICINITY OUTSIDE OF
ADMINISTRATION BUILDING AND HAS HEARD RUMORS THAT LATER PROTEST
GROUP AGAINST DRAFT RANKS, ETC. PLAN TO PITCH TENT IN VICINITY. UNIVERSITY
AND BOARD OF DIRECTORS AT QUADRANT CLUB STILL MAINTAINING NO ARREST
POLICY. FULOP AND [REDACTED] WILL KEEP THIS SO FBI ADVISED. DEMONSTRATIONS
PEACEFUL TO DATE. NO ARRESTS.

SECRET SERVICE, USA, MILITARY. AND CHICAGO POLICE ADVISED.

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TO DIRECTOR (100-439048)

FROM CHICAGO (100-40903)

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COMINFIL, STUDENTS FOR A DEMOCRATIC SOCIETY, IS - C.

REBUAIRTEL TO CHICAGO AND INDIANAPOLIS MAY SIX LAST AND CHICAGO TEL TO BUREAU MAY SIX LAST CAPTIONED "VIDEM, COMINFIL SDS; IS - C.

RELIABLE SOURCES ADVISED CHICAGO PEACCE CCOUNCIL (CPC) IS CORRELATING PLANS TO ORGANIZE PROTEST DEMONSTRATION AGAINST PRESIDENT JOHNSON AT CHICAGO MAY SEVENTEEN NEXT. PROTEST IS AGAINST PRESIDENT'S HANDLING OF WAR IN VIETNAM. DISCUSSIONS HAVE BEEN HELD CONCERNING POSSIBILITY OF HOLDING MOCK TRIAL FOR PRESIDENT JOHNSON AND PLACING HIM UNDER CITIZENS ARREST WHILE HE IS AT CHICAGO, BUT NOTHING DEFINITE HAS BEEN DECIDED IN THIS REGARD. CPC PLANS MEETING ON NIGHT OF MAY TEN INSTANT TO FURTHER DISCUSS PLANS.

SECRET SERVICE, MILITARY AND LOCAL AUTHORITIES ADVISED. CHICAGO WILL SUTEL RESULTS OF CPC MEETING AND SUBMIT LHM.

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May 23, 1966

Dear [REDACTED]

I have had the opportunity to read the editorial, "A Needed Verbal Paddling," which appeared in the May 18th issue of your newspaper.

The comments expressed regarding our work serve as a source of encouragement, and my associates and I want to extend our thanks. Your continued support of this Bureau means a great deal to all of us in the FBI.

Sincerely yours,

J. Edgar Hoover

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Reur routing slip 5-17-66.

NOTE: [REDACTED] is on the mailing list to receive the FBI Law Enforcement Bulletin and we have maintained cordial relations with his newspaper. The Bureau is cognizant of circumstances concerning the Director's letter of 4-28-65 to [REDACTED] b7c

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A Needed Verbal Paddling

FBI Director J. Edgar Hoover, who keeps his public statements and appearances to a minimum, has replied sharply to student critics of the FBI.

Mr. Hoover, who recently marked his 42nd year on the job in characteristic no-nonsense fashion, denounced contentions by students at Wesleyan University that FBI agents intimidated students and officials in an investigation of a national student organization.

In a letter to the Connecticut university's student governing group, the FBI boss took pointed issue with what he called "misrepresentations," and branded as false and irresponsible charges that the FBI was hostile to "academic freedom."

Such charges have been made before, and carried as little substance as the latest complaint. This time Mr. Hoover's reply was a bit harsher, noting that the charges "cast serious doubt on the quality of academic reason or the motivation behind it."

Mr. Hoover's sarcasm appears justified, however. The group in question—Students for a Democratic Society—was put on notice in a public announcement a year ago by the U.S. attorney general's office which ordered an investigation of subversive Communist infiltration.

Such investigations of groups and individuals are one of the FBI's major responsibilities. Results are forwarded to the Justice Department for further determination.

The necessity for such action is obvious. There is little reason to doubt that the FBI has not carried out its duties objectively and without exceeding its authority.

Without the FBI's vigilance it's doubtful that any of the many "campus or missions for this and that" could exist at all.

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TO DIRECTOR

FROM CHICAGO (25-45910) (100-42717 SUB A) (100-40903)

SELECTIVE SERVICE MATTERS, STUDENTS FOR A DEMOCRATIC SOCIETY (SDS);
VIDEM; COMINFIL SDS; IS-C.

REMYTELS MAY TWENTY SIX LAST.

[REDACTED] 870
ADVISED NINE FIFTY PM ~~YESTERDAY~~ TODAY SIT-IN CONTINUES AT QUADRANGLE CLUB,
UNIVERSITY OF CHICAGO, AS DOES DEMONSTRATION OUTSIDE UNIVERSITY
ADMINISTRATION BUILDING, AS DESCRIBED IN MYTELS THIS DATE.
TEN STUDENTS AT QUADRANGLE CLUB SIT-IN. TWENTY-FIVE DEMONSTRATORS
OUTSIDE ADMINISTRATION BUILDING. BOTH SIT-IN AND DEMONSTRATION
PEACEFUL AND APPARENTLY TO CONTINUE THROUGH NIGHT. NO ARRESTS. CHICAGO
FOLLOWING. SECRET SERVICE, USA, MILITARY AND CGPD ADVISED. LHM FOLLOWS.
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REMYTEL MAY TWENTY SIX INSTANT.

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ADVISED FIVE PM TODAY, STUDENT ACTIVITIES OFFICE OF UNIVERSITY HAD APPROVED APPEARANCE OF DICK GREGORY, ALLEGED COMEDIAN AND CIVIL RIGHTS LEADER, ON CAMPUS EIGHT PM TONIGHT. GREGORY ALLEGEDLY WILL SPEAK TO DEMONSTRATORS WHO HAVE RESUMED SIT IN AT UNIVERSITY. BELIEVED REPORTED GREGORY APPEARANCE MAY BE "GIMMICK" TO OBTAIN LARGE CROWD, SUPPORT AND ENSUING PUBLICITY FOR DEMONSTRATORS. STATES IF GREGORY DOES APPEAR AND THERE IS LARGE TURN OUT CROWD WILL BE DIRECTED AWAY FROM EIGHTH FLOOR CORRIDOR OF UNIVERSITY WHERE DEMONSTRATORS ARE NOW CONGREGATED OUTSIDE OF UNIVERSITY ADMINISTRATIVE OFFICES. MEETING WILL THEN BE HELD IN AUDITORIUM OR LARGE CLASSROOM. NICHOLS ANTICIPATES ADDITIONAL ARRESTS AFTER TEN THIRTY PM TONIGHT WHEN BUILDING IS CLOSED AND DEMONSTRATORS TOLD TO DEPART.

SECRET SERVICE, USA, MILITARY AND LOCAL POLICE ADVISED. LHM

1 JUN 1 1966

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CC MR. SULLIVAN

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